WEATHER REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—San Francisco and Vicinity: Cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday; light northerly wind.

Northern California: Cloudy this p. m. and Tuesday; fog in the valleys.

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OVER GRADE IN DARKNESS OF NIGHT.

Lompoc Stage Upsets and a Number of Passengers are Injured.

LOMPOC, Cal., Dec. 10.—Quite a serious accident occurred to the Santa Barbara and Lompoc stage about six miles from Lompoc last night.

The stage not arriving on time, a team was sent out to ascertain the cause of the delay.

When about four miles from town it was met by two of the stage passengers on foot coming to town for assistance.

They immediately returned to the scene of the accident to render what assistance was necessary.

The injured were brought to town, arriving shortly after midnight, and are now at the Arthur Hotel under the care of physicians, and are reported doing nicely.

Among the passengers injured were the following:

Pete Smith, driver, back badly wrenched and shaken up, also number of small bruises.

George N. O'Brien of Caviota, Cal., shaken up and bruised.

W. F. Bryant and wife and two children of San Francisco. Mrs. Bryant was badly shaken up, bruised and hurt internally, also nervously prostrated; one child with broken arm and badly bruised.

E. L. Paddock of Jones & Paddock Company, San Francisco, slightly bruised and shaken up.

A. W. Buddendorf of the Simmons Hardware Company, St. Louis, shaken up and bruised.

Two other passengers, names unknown, badly bruised.

The last four resumed their journey on the train this morning.

The scene of the accident was a sharp curve in the road about six miles from Lompoc shortly after dark.

The road runs on the side of the grade, and when the stage swung around it turned over.

No blame is attached to the driver as it is an accident liable to occur on the rough road at any time, and especially at night. The passengers praise the driver, who held on to the horses, although he was dragged a considerable distance.

FIVE MEN KILLED IN AN EXPLOSION.

OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 10.—A report reached Ogden today from Aspen, Wyo., that an explosion occurred in the big Union Pacific tunnel six miles north of that place early this morning, resulting in the death of five men and badly injuring a number of others.

The explosion probably occurred at the west end of the tunnel, where gases were encountered last week. Aid has gone to the scene from Aspen.

This tunnel is one of the largest pieces of Union Pacific work, being 700 feet long.

IT IS A CASE OF MURDER.

Antone Galindo, the man who was found at Fourth and Clay streets last night with his skull fractured, died at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Receiving Hospital. He never regained consciousness.

The police have arrested Tom Clear, and claim that they have evidence to show that he had an altercation with Galindo, assaulted him with some blunt instrument and then, with the assistance of some party unknown, carried him to the vacant lot where he was found.

APPEAL DENIED

Captain Carter Must Serve Out His Sentence.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 10.—In a decision handed down by Judge Cook of the Federal District Court of Kansas, and concurred in by United States Circuit Judge Thayer this afternoon, Oberlin M. Carter, formerly Captain U. S. A., under sentence of five years' imprisonment for misappropriation of Government funds while in charge of the harbor work of Savannah, Ga., is remanded to the custody of Robert W. McLaughrey, warden of the Federal Penitentiary at Leavenworth, where Carter has been confined, the court overruling the petitioner's demurrer on the habeas corpus writ issued some time ago and sustaining the ruling of the trial courts, together with the subsequent action of President McKinley, who set aside twelve of the charges under which he was convicted, but made no change of the sentence imposed by the court martial.

COTTON FLURRY.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 10.—The bureau report came like a thunderclap to the local cotton market today. In less than five minutes after the reading of the report March contracts had declined 53 points from 9.43 to 8.87, and May from 9.33 to 8.00. After the sensational decline the market showed a disposition to rally.

LAST PLEA.

Argument is Closed in Morrison Murder Case.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 10.—A special to the Star from Eldorado, Kansas, says:

When Jessie Morrison entered the court room this morning it was to hear the last argument in her defense for the murder of Mrs. Castle.

Judge A. L. Redden, the prisoner's leading counsel, in a forceful address to the jury, pleaded for the release of Miss Morrison, declaring that the cuts she inflicted upon the bride of a week were done in self-defense.

Captain Joseph Waters followed for the State and demanded a verdict of murder in the first degree be returned.

POST-VAN ALEN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Miss Marguerite L. Post, daughter of Mrs. William Post, was married today to Lawrence J. Van Alen, only son of James A. Van Alen, and a grandson of the late William Astor. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's mother, by Bishop Potter.

FIRED TO KILL HIS MAN

Suinsun Saloonkeeper Was Marked For Death.

SUISUN, Dec. 10.—Peter A. Finn, proprietor of a saloon, miraculously escaped death at the hands of Howard Morris, a young man, at an early hour this morning.

Armed with a shotgun, Morris visited Finn's and fired both barrels at the proprietor, the second charge taking effect in Finn's arm, inflicting a serious and what may perhaps prove a fatal injury.

Howard was arrested.

He claims to have been insane from drink at the time of the shooting, but officers have discovered evidence that the attempted murder was premeditated.

BRITISH ELECTIONS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Sir Acland-Hood, Conservative, has been re-elected to the House of Commons from the West or Wellington division of Somerset, without opposition.

The Right Hon. St. John Brodrick has been re-elected to the House of Commons from the Guilford division of Surrey, in the Conservative interest, without opposition.

Captain E. G. Prettyman, Conservative, has been re-elected without opposition, for the Woodbridge division of Suffolk.

NO FIGHT IN CHINESE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—Field Marshal Count von Waldersee telegraphs from Peking, under date of Saturday, December 8th, that the two detachments of troops from Tien Tsin, commanded by Colonel Lohrscheidt and Major Falkenheyn, which had been proceeding against a considerable force of Chinese regulars who had taken up a position at Tsang Chou, ninety-five kilometres southward from Tien Tsin, have occupied the place without opposition and that the columns are returning to Tien Tsin.

ROUGH ON MAUDE GONNE

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 10.—A pro-Boer meeting, at which Miss Maude Gonne was to preside tonight, has been prohibited by the police.

The returning members of the Royal Canadian Regiment, which left London this morning, arrived here during the day. They received ovations from large crowds and were entertained at lunch by the Lord Mayor, Mr. Arthur Crosthwaite, and the corporation of Liverpool.

COTTON CROP OUTLOOK.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The Agricultural Department crop report gives the cotton acreage as 25,924,734.

The Statistician reports 10,100,000 bales as the production of the United States for 1900-1901. In making this estimate the same methods and agencies have been used that were employed last year. Many thousands of ginners have, however, made reports for the first time.

NEW GOLD STRIKE.

SPOKANE, Wn., Dec. 10.—A special to the Chronicle from Nelson, Wash., brings news of a stampede up Fourth of July creek, a branch of the Kettle river. Shot gold has been discovered with ground running $10 to the cubic yard. Digging in that vicinity has been secretly worked by George Arnott, an old miner, for three or four years. It is estimated he has cleaned up $10,000. The strike extends on both sides of the British-American boundary.

Found Dead in His Room.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

STOCKTON, Cal., Dec. 10.—A. W. Rock, a mining expert from Valley Springs, was found dead in his room at the Sherman House, near the Southern Pacific depot, yesterday morning. He was fully dressed and lying face down. The deceased, who appeared to be in good health and spirits when he came to the hotel last Saturday morning, was about 45 years of age. It is believed that death was due to heart trouble. The inquest will be held this evening.

APPROPRIATION BILL IN HOUSE

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Today, under the rules of the House, belonged to the District of Columbia Committee, but owing to the desire of the leaders to proceed with the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, District Day was postponed until a week from tomorrow.

The legislative bill was immediately taken up. Mr. Bingham of Pennsylvania, who was in charge of the measure, made a preliminary statement of its contents, after which, there being no desire to speak from either side, the bill was read for amendment under the five-minute rule.

GREAT BATTLE IN AFRICA.

GENERAL KITCHENER
In Command of the British Forces in South Africa.

Forces of Generals Knox and De Wet Are in Fierce Conflict.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Evening Standard, which has special sources of information, says this evening that a great battle between the British forces under General Knox and the Boers under General De Wet is going on.

MISSED DEATH.

Terrible Ride of a Man on the Owl Train's Brake-Beam.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 10.—Dan Barry of Middleton, Ohio, had an experience with the south-bound Owl which arrived from San Francisco this morning that cost him every particle of the skin on his back and came near terminating his existence.

Barry was making the trip from Oakland to Los Angeles on a brake-beam, and when the train reached Burbank, nine miles north of here, it slowed up and Barry attempted to leave his perch. The train started before he succeeded, and he made the balance of the journey hanging by his hands, with his feet resting on the revolving axle.

At times his endurance would be exhausted and his back would sag so as to touch the ground beneath the flying train, and the friction carried away his cuticle wherever he touched. The revolving journal ground his shoes to powder and his clothing was torn to tatters.

He sustained a severe cut upon the head, and the marvel is that he managed to hang on till this city was reached and so escaped instant death.

Hartzell Acquitted.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

SAN JOSE, Dec. 10.—Warren Hartzell, who left his wife to elope with Maud McCormick, a 16-year-old girl, some weeks ago, and subsequently returned in answer to a warrant for seduction, was acquitted in court today. When the case was called the most important witness for the prosecution failed to appear.

WOMAN IS SHOT

Injured While She Is Walking Along the Street.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 10.—A peculiar accident occurred on New High street this morning which came near resulting fatally to Sarah Bride. The lady was walking along the street when a passing truck ran over a cartridge lying in the road. The carriage exploded, and the bullet struck Miss Bride in the upper lip, whence it was removed at the Receiving Hospital. A slight change in the course of the bullet would undoubtedly have been fatal to Miss Bride.

BOLLINGER WILL CASE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

SAN JOSE, Dec. 10.—After forty-eight hours' deliberation the jury in the famous Bollinger will contest reported to court this morning that they could not agree and were discharged by Judge Hyland. The jurors stood eight to four in favor of George Bollinger, son of the dead capitalist, Christian Bollinger, who is the chief beneficiary under the will and whose claims were opposed by the other heirs on the grounds that he had unduly influenced his father. The case will be tried again.

Died at Asylum.

A. R. Hale of Eden township died this morning at the Stockton State Hospital.

CAPT. WILLIAMS GETS TEN YEARS.

Slayer of Conductor Martin is Given the Extreme Penalty.

STOCKTON, Dec. 10.—Captain Alfred Williams, who was found guilty of manslaughter for having shot to death Conductor William Martin at the Stockton Hot Mineral Baths on the first of August last, was sentenced by Judge Jones this afternoon to ten years at San Quentin.

His attorney made a plea for mercy, which brought tears to the eyes of the Court, though the prisoner was given the limit.

The wife and sister of Williams sobbed bitterly when sentence was pronounced. A motion for a new trial was denied.

NICHOLLS IS GRANTED A NEW TRIAL.

Miss Jane Hodge Will Not Get $25,000 Damages at Present.

The $25,000 judgment rendered in favor of Jane Hodge against John Nicholls, the East Oakland capitalist, for alleged breach of promise was set aside today by Judge Ogden, who granted Nicholls' motion for a new trial.

The Judge's decision is based on the claim of Nicholls that he had been unconditionally released from his engagement by Miss Hodge and from the fact that she offered no evidence to contradict this assertion.

The case was one that created a decided sensation when it came to trial.

Miss Hodge, who is a niece by marriage of the defendant, became engaged to him against the strongest opposition of his daughters, who claimed that both Miss Hodge and their father were too old to wed.

After a long contention in the family the daughters finally triumphed and persuaded their father to remain in a state of single blessedness.

Miss Hodge at once sued him for $50,000 damages. A jury awarded her a verdict for $25,000. Nicholls' attorneys moved for a new trial on the ground that the award was excessive and contrary to the evidence.

On the former point Judge Ogden says:

"From the nature of the evidence, and taking into consideration the financial standing of the defendant, and the condition in life the plaintiff would have occupied had she become the wife of the defendant, this court cannot say that the verdict was unreasonable or appears to have been made by the jury under the influence of passion."

It is also decided that the contract between the parties was an unconditional one and not subject to the approval of Nicholls' daughters, Mary and Hester Nicholls. The order for a new trial is made on the uncontroverted evidence of the defendant that when he told Miss Hodge on December 7th of the terrible fuss his daughters were making over the engagement she flew into a rage and said:

"We will call it all off, then, and no more of it. You can go home and tell the girls I said so."

The girls testified that that was just what their father had told them. When Miss Hodge went on the stand she was not questioned on the statement and volunteered no information.

Judge Ogden decides that this tends to show that she had released her aged lover, in which event a new trial should be granted.

Judge Ogden further says:

"The answer denies that the defendant promised to marry the plaintiff at any time, other than that the defendant conditionally promised to marry her, should the daughters (Mary and Hester) of the defendant give their consent to that arrangement, and defendant alleges that the plaintiff undertook and promised to secure the consent of said daughters to said arrangement, but although aided by the defendant, has failed up to the present time to obtain such consent.

"On the contrary, the defendant claims that his daughters objected to any marriage and threatened to leave their father alone in his old age if he married.

"With reference to all of the contentions of the defendant save the claim that Miss Hodge unconditionally released him from his promise of marriage, it will be sufficient for the Court to say that the jury were the exclusive judges of the evidence and had the right to fix and assess damages.

"The jury also heard all the testimony with reference to the contention as to whether or not the contract was a conditional or an unconditional one. They found in favor of the latter contention, and there being ample evidence to support such contention, the finding must stand.

"The last contention of the defendant is the one entitled to the utmost consideration. For the purpose of making out her case plaintiff was called as a witness in her own behalf. Neither as a witness nor upon cross-examination was she interrogated with reference to any release of the alleged contract. In no place in her testimony can it be found that she refuted the testimony of the defendant or his two daughters in this respect. The presumption of law is that if a party has evidence he will produce it, but if he fails so to do that evidence should be against him if presented.

"While we may well speculate upon the subject and realize how easy it is for counsel at the close of a long, protracted and closely contested case to fail to present, inadvertently, some certain feature, and that in all probability such was the case here, yet the legal presumption which must be indulged in is that if Miss Hodge had been interrogated upon this subject she would have answered affirming the truth of the defendant's statement."

Russian Crop Estimates.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 10.—The official estimates for this winter and spring crop in sixty-four departments of European Russia are as follows:

Wheat, 65,800,000 poods; rye, 1,401,700,000 poods, and oats, 721,600,000 poods.

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Of the extra fine dried fruit, property of J. J. Long. Sale to take place at 464 Ninth street, near Broadway, Oakland. Sale Wednesday, December 12, at 11 A. M.

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BOTH SIDES LOST THE CASE.

Judge Ogden Renders Decision in Baker-Merrill Case.

A case in which neither the plaintiff or the defendant wins was decided to-day by Judge Ogden. It was in the action of Ellen J. Baker who sued her uncle, W. B. Merrill to foreclose a $2,-810 mortgage on his home. Merrill put in a counter-claim for $7,000 for caring for Mrs. Baker's property and for boarding her before she was married. The judge decided that neither parties to the action recover judgment while both are taxed for the costs of the action.

Mrs. Baker then Ellen Merrill came to California in 1882 and went to reside with her uncle, agreeing to pay $20 a month for board. She had considerable money which Merrill undertook to handle for her.

NEWS OF TWO DEATHS IN ONE DAY.

One of the saddest and most pathetic illustrations of the old adage that misfortune never comes singly was disclosed through the death of little Clifford Wigfield the seven-old child of Charles and Susie Wigfield which occurred at 2010 Filbert street this morning.

Mrs. Wigfield is an honest, hard working woman doing housework in a West Oakland family. She had left her child with the family at 2010 Filbert street. Her husband has been working at Sisson, Siskiyou county, but the wife had not heard from him for about six weeks.

Early this morning as soon as she learned of her baby's death she telegraphed her husband's employer at Sisson, and the unfortunate woman's terrible surprise can be surmised when she received a return telegram to the effect that "Charles Wigfield died and was buried about four weeks ago."

SACRAMENTAN DIES HERE OF OLD AGE.

Frederick H. Brandes died of old age this morning at 918 Fourth avenue East Oakland where he has been visiting some time. His home is in Sacramento where he leaves a widow, Barbara Brandes, and a son and daughter. Deceased was a native of Germany aged 71 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow and the remains will be interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

HIS WIFE SAYS HE STRUCK HER IN FACE.

C. C. Conley was arraigned in the Police Court this morning on a charge of battery preferred against him by his wife, Ella Conley, who alleges that he struck her in the face with his fist. He will be tried next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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END OF WATER CASE FAR OFF.

Expert Le Conte Still Giving Facts and Figures on the Stand.

The suit brought against the city by the Contra Costa Water Company will run considerably into next year unless present signs are at fault. The first day in court was June 11th but the trial was not actually commenced till October 8th. Much time was taken up by the efforts of the special attorney for the city to force Judge Hart off the bench after he had been selected by agreement of all parties to try the case. Another long delay was caused by the effort to prevent the corporation to present its case on the ground that it had refused to comply with the order of court requiring it to submit its books to the municipality's experts.

Since the trial actually commenced the cross-examinations of the plaintiff's witnesses has been so tedious and minute that proceedings have dragged along with exceeding slowness. The third week in December opens with the plaintiff's case still unclosed and it will take all the week if not more to finish the presentation.

It will take three or four weeks for the city to present its case. It can readily be seen that an enormous bill of costs is being piled up—far larger than either side ever anticipated.

WRANGLING STILL GOES ON.

Proceedings opened this morning with a wrangle. Professor Le Conte took the stand for cross-examination and the attorney wanted him to testify from a memorandum as to what prices the Contra Costa paid for cast iron pipe in 1876. Mr. McCutcheon every alert objected on the ground that the memorandum had no relation to prices paid by the corporation. While he was still talking Hayne interrupted heatedly with a protest against counsel interfering with the witness while in his hand and asked the court to silence Moore and McCutcheon's objections.

"Notwithstanding the protest" said McCutcheon sharply "it is my right to object to any question I deem improper and I propose to object whenever I see fit. I deem this question improper and I object to it. I have no objection to the memorandum going into evidence but I object to the witness being asked to draw conclusion from the memorandum."

"That is just what I protest against," broke in Hayne angrily. "I object to Mr. McCutcheon stating the effect of evidence before the witness."

"I am stating the grounds of my objection and counsel can protest all he pleases," retorted McCutcheon in a defiant tone. "I do not propose to limit the right of objection to suit the wishes of counsel."

SOME 1876 FIGURES.

The tempest was finally stilled by the court overruling the objection. Professor Le Conte said the memorandum showed a quoted price of cast iron pipe in that year to be $97 per ton but could not tell whether it was in gold or currency. Neither whether the figures referred to the price at the factory or in San Francisco nor whether or not it included freight. He said he could not remember anything about it but the memorandum indicated that it referred to a $4000 contract made by the company though he had no recollection of the source of the information from which the memorandum was made. On the basis of this Hayne attempted to get witness to endorse some mathematical calculations made by one of the city's experts but was shut off by an objection from McCutcheon.

ASSUMPTION AND REPARTEE.

"You should not object to your own memorandum," said Hayne.

"The memorandum is in evidence and you can use it as roughly as you please," retort McCutcheon. "You can draw any conclusion from it you see fit but I object to your making assumptions from it and then asking the witness to speculate upon them."

The speculation was bowled over.

"Assuming that you figured on the prices named in that memorandum for the year 1876 did you figure on the prices for each year separately."

"There it is again," said McCutcheon. "Counsel is unmasking and asks the witness to speculate on it." However he did not think it worth while to enter a formal objection.

"My recollection is that I did not figure on the pipe for each year separately, but made a general average for the years covered by the whole period," said Professor Le Conte.

"Was there not a general downward tendency in the price of pipe from 1868 to 1886?"

"I think not. The fall in 1885 was a sudden drop and it went up again almost immediately. In 1889 it was double what it was in 1885."

MORE PIPE PRICES.

Professor Le Conte explained another memorandum relating to pipe prices in the year 1885. These prices were not so satisfactory to Attorney Hayne. It showed the following prices in New York: Three-inch pipe $36 per ton, 4-inch pipe $34 per ton, 5-inch pipe $3? per ton, 6-inch pipe $32 per ton, 8-inch pipe, $31.50, and 12-inch pipe, $31 per ton. To these prices was the detailed cost of freight, insurance, primage commission etc. making the total cost from $41.70 to $46.01 per ton. Witness thought he got these details from the Contra Costa Company's records.

The memorandum contained reference to various contracts, one in particular made with the Union Iron Works. Professor Le Conte called attention to the fact that his report for 1886 specially referred to this contract.

BURNT CORK PRACTICE.

Then Hayne convulsed the court by demanding in regular end man stutter seriatim the production of those contracts by 2 o'clock this afternoon.

"Do you propose to search us?" asked McCutcheon with mock seriousness.

A. A. Moore added to the merriment by making a frantic search in his pockets for the required documents.

"Maybe we have them concealed somewhere about our persons," he exclaimed, while making his search. Even the judge could not restrain a smile at the absurdity of the performance. Everybody understood that it was a back kick at the old horse which has always been thrust to the fore when Hayne got into a hole.

A recess was taken till 2 o'clock.

In the afternoon Professor Le Conte said the cost of black pipe was about 25 per cent less than the cost of cast iron pipe. The cost of laying 2-inch pipe including trenching and backfilling, was a little more than the cost of the pipe itself.

An entry on his memorandum referred to the purchase of plate iron in 1885 at 3.15 cents a pound, but he could not say whether it was the New York or San Francisco price.

Then followed a tedious examination regarding the witness' knowledge of early construction as affected by the Professor's application of his prices to Mr. Boardman's quantities which only served as a repetition of former testimony to the effect that the witness could not recall such details after the lapse of fourteen years. This was probably what the special attorney wanted.

MORE THAN HE BARGAINED FOR.

Professor Le Conte had made a lump estimate in his 1886 report of the cost of the main wasteway at San Leandro which was placed at $4000. Hayne wanted to know how he could apply the prices of that estimate to Boardman's quantities. Then it developed that the Professor had preserved his original calculations of the different elements of cost entering into the gross estimate of $10,000. When confronted with this Hayne endeavored to get it excluded. He was overruled however. He made a similar fight against reading an entry in the memorandum which showed that A. Chabot had paid $80 per ton for plate iron in 188?.

Professor Le Conte said most of the calculations in the memoranda were made by his three assistants but he used them in making up his original report. On his stating that they were made under his direction the court overruled Hayne's objection to the witness using them. All through the special attorney for the city kept insisting upon using such portions of the memoranda as suited him while strenuously objecting to such portions as the Water Company's attorneys wanted to use.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

Legislation Urged on Congress By Labor Federation.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 10.—Immediately following the call to order this morning of the Resolution Committee of the American Federation of Labor submitted its report. The first recommendation submitted by the committee was one reaffirming its favorable position on the initiative and referendum which was adopted by the convention by a vote of 82 to 76 after considerable debate.

Following in rapid succession were recommended and adopted resolutions requesting support by Congress of a bill for the higher education in favor of an eight hour bill for postoffice employes to be introduced at the forthcoming session of Congress and a bill in favor of municipal ownership of public utilities.

Other resolutions adopted were those making boiler makers and iron ship builders eligible as assistant United States inspector of boilers, for reasonable time of service in sailing vessels and examination in seamanship of officers of ocean steamers, for executive clemency for E. W. Clark imprisoned for mutiny on the high seas, restricting the towing of barges and cargo-carrying vessels on the lakes and the Atlantic coast.

The executive committee reported unfavorably on a resolution for the establishment of a department of commerce and industry and its action was sustained.

The report of the auditing committee was presented and accepted.

EXTRADITION TREATY CASE.

Important Decision Is Pending By Supreme Court.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—The question of the constitutionality of the Blaine extradition treaty between Great Britain and the United States signed by representatives of the two governments in 1889 and which it is asserted has never been passed upon is to be brought up in the United States Supreme Court in the cases of Fred Lee Rice, Frank Rutledge and Thomas Jones who were arrested in Chicago last June on the request of the Canadian authorities, charged with being fugitives from justice.

The specific charges against the three men included complicity in several bank robberies in Toronto and other Canadian cities. President McKinley issued a warrant for the requisition of the three men but action was prevented by writ of supersedeas issued by Judge Kohlsaat of the United States District Court, and since last June the men have been confined in the County Jail.

Next Monday attorneys representing the prisoners and the British Consul will appear before the Supreme Court at Washington and bail for the prisoners will be asked pending the construction of the Blaine treaty. Attorneys for the British Consul will move to dismiss the appeal or advance the case to an immediate hearing.

The case is regarded as one of great importance not only in this country but in the Queen's dominion as an opinion in the Supreme Court will be regarded as settling the mode of procedure to be adopted by the Extradition Commissioners in international extradition cases. Should bail be refused the prisoners, they may remain in jail here for a year before the case is passed upon.

VALUABLE ESTATE IS APPRAISED.

The estate of Mary D. Matthews, deceased, has been appraised at $70,870.70. It consists principally of Oakland realty.

OAKLAND RACES.

EMERYVILLE TRACK, Dec. 10.—The races this afternoon resulted as follows:

FIRST RACE.

Alice Dougherty first at $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 Turner jockey.

Anjou second at 4 to 1 Mounce jockey.

Mae Gyle third at 15 to 1 Woods jockey.

Time 1:07; distance 7 furlongs.

SECOND RACE.

Sylvia first at 3 to 2, Coburn jockey.

Maresa second at 8 to 1, Mounce jockey.

Rollick third at even money, O'Connor jockey.

Time 1:14½; distance 6 furlongs.

THIRD RACE.

Dangerous Maid first at 12 to 1 Mounce jockey.

Grafter second at 10 to 1, Martin jockey.

Novia third at 10 to 1, O'Connor, jockey.

Time 1:10¼; futurity course.

OLD FASHION ROUGH HOUSE

Trio of Toughs Make Things Very Lively.

There was a genuine old fashioned "rough house" at the Brooklyn Hotel corner of Twenty-second avenue and East Twelfth street, last night as which the landlady, Mrs. Jurgenson was severely injured, an officer struck over the head with a club, another threatened with assassination and all of the windows in a passing electric car broken.

Three of the alleged rowdies, John McGillican, Frank Silva and Charles Kretz, were arrested on charges of malicious mischief and disturbing the peace. This morning in the Police Court all of them pleaded not guilty. The charges of peace disturbance were stricken from the calendar and the charges of malicious mischief will be tried December 11th. In addition McGillican will be examined next Saturday on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon, his bonds being fixed at $2,000 or $1,000 cash.

The trio with several others called at the Brooklyn Hotel last night and ordered Mrs. Jurgenson to "set up the drinks." She refused and the result was a "rough house," in which mirrors and glasses were broken and the landlady was struck on the head. When Officers Kingsbury and Gunter and Constable Stewart attempted to arrest the disturbers, McGillican struck the constable with a club and one of them threatened to shoot Kingsbury.

En route to the City Prison the fight was renewed when nearly every window in the car was smashed.

WATER FRONT CASE IS REOPENED

This afternoon Judge Ogden set aside the submission in the water front case, on motion of W. R. Davis, Jule Hart ordering a recess for the purpose.

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GILCHRIST—In Berkeley, December 8, 1900, Annie M. Gilchrist, a native of Providence, R. I., aged 54 years 5 months and 25 days.

MEYER—In Alameda, December 9, 1900, John Meyer, a native of Bavaria, Germany, aged 60 years, 11 months and 25 days.

BRANDES—In this city, December 10, 1900, Frederick H., beloved husband of Barbara Brandes and father of John A., Carle M. and F. W. Brandes, a native of Hildesheim, Germany, aged 71 years, 5 months and 21 days.

WIGFIELD—In this city, December 9, 1900, Clifford Cecil, infant son of Charles and Susie Wigfield and brother of Fried[?] Wigfield, a native of Sisson, Cal., aged 2 years 9 months and 12 days.

LECTURE

BY

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RENO MARRIAGES ARE NOT VALID.

San Francisco Judge Renders an Important Decision.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—Judge Troutt, of the Superior Court, today handed in an important decision in the case of Abbie Rose Wood, claimant in the matter of the estate of Joseph M. Wood, deceased.

According to the finding of the court, marriages that are licensed at Reno, or other cities over the California border, occurring before the expiration of one year after divorce proceedings have taken place in California, are not valid.

The decision is very important, inasmuch as it affects the marriage of a number of persons who have gone across the border to Nevada to evade the California divorce laws.

The decision states in part that "in the matter a petition has been filed by —Rose Wood praying for a monthly allowance to her as the widow of the above named decedent.

This petition is opposed by decedent's children by a former wife, on the ground that the petitioner was never legally married to Wood.

On August 16, 1897, a divorce was granted to Mrs. Wood in this city and county from one Robert H. Smith and on December 31, 1897, she and the decedent departed from this State for the sole purpose of intermarrying at Reno in the State of Nevada. There they procured a license to marry, and on January 1, 1898, submitted to the formalities of the ceremony of marriage as required by the statutes of Nevada. Thereupon they immediately returned to this city where they continued to reside living together and claiming to be husband and wife until June 1?, 1899, when the death of decedent occurred.

"The petitioner urges that such a marriage to decedent at Reno was valid under the laws of Nevada and hence must be recognized in California, notwithstanding the provision of Section 61 of our Civil Code, as amended in February, 1897.

After reviewing the case and the California law affecting marriages enacted less than one year after the decree of divorce is granted, Judge Troutt says:

"Each State has the right to fix the status of every person domiciled within its borders and other States are bound to recognize this status by Inter-State comity.

"In legal effect marriage is a status into which the parties may enter by agreement, but the duties and liabilities of which are governed by the general laws of the State.

"When the natural right to marry is once exercised, the parties have no right to marry again until relieved of the disqualification or disability resulting from such marriage. Such a re-marriage, in Nevada or elsewhere, would be polygamous and hence invalid. Only by an absolute dissolution of the marital relations or the death of one of the parties can such disqualification or disability be removed, so as to restore to either of the parties the legal capacity to marry another.

"It is to be presumed (to use the language of opponent's counsel) that very few persons have violated the regulations of section 61 of our Civil Code since its amendment in 1897. But if there are some who have disregarded its reasonable provisions it is to be presumed that they have made amends by contracting lawful marriage at the earliest time possible. If children have been born to the parties of such unlawful marriage they will not suffer for if their parents should fail to right the apparent wrong done them by contracting a lawful marriage the law by its beneficence has protected them by providing that 'the issue of all marriages null in law, or dissolved by divorce, are legitimate.' (Civil Code, section 1387.)

"The alleged marriage that is questioned in this proceeding has been declared invalid by Department 7 of this court in the case of Abbie Rose Wood versus estate of Joseph M. Wood, deceased, No. 71,467.

"For the reasons stated by the Judge in that department, and such additional reasons as are stated in this opinion it is my conclusion that such marriage ought not to be recognized by this court as valid.

"Accordingly the application for monthly allowance out of this estate to petitioner as the widow of decedent is denied."

DEAD SOLDIERS ON THE HANCOCK

Fifteen Hundred Bodies Brought Back From Philippines.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—The transport Hancock arrived this afternoon from Manila via Nagasaki with a gruesome cargo. It consists of the bodies of about 1500 soldiers and sailors who either fell in battle or succumbed to the ravages of disease in the Philippines, China, Guam and Honolulu.

This is the largest number of bodies brought home since the outbreak of the Spanish-American war. The Hancock will likely remain in quarantine a few days. The bodies will be conveyed to the Presidio and placed in the buildings there pending their shipment to the homes of the relatives.

The Hancock was twenty-five days in making the run from Manila and was seventeen days in coming from Nagasaki, the last port at which she touched. She brought fifty-two cabin passengers, 50 in the steerage and there were eleven deaths on the voyage to add to the cargo of dead she carried from the Philippines.

Farragut at San Diego.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 10.—The United States torpedo boat Farragut arrived this afternoon from San Francisco and will remain until the end of January.

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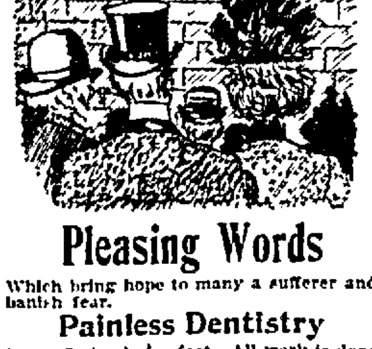

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Notice is hereby given that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, State of California, will, at his office in the Hall of Records in the city of Oakland, in said county, receive plans and specifications for the construction of a concrete culvert or bridge in San Leandro creek across the main county road leading from Oakland to San Leandro 80 feet in width accompanied by estimate of cost of construction; said plans and specifications to be submitted to this Board on Monday, Dec. 24, 1900 at 11 o'clock A. M.

The remuneration for said plans and specifications shall be $250.00 to be paid to engineer furnishing the best plan for the location.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, State of California.

Dated Oakland, California, Dec. 10, 1900.

Too Late for Classification

LOST—Saturday afternoon at Macdonough Theater black purse containing owner's cards. Return to 1154 Eighth st. Reward.

BARGAINS—A clearing out of pianos on storage, slightly cheap (installments), open evenings. Wilson's Storage, 1710 Market st., San Francisco.

When baby from its tiny state
Decided he would grow,
His source of natural supply
Became unhappily a-dry;
And then we used H-O.

Then how his little body knit
To fibre fine—and O! t
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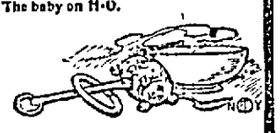
No flatulence—because there is
No colic in H-O.

But there is body, bone and brain,
And vim, and healthy glow;
For mother Nature intervened
That happy day on which we weaned
The baby on H-O.



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YOUNG WOMAN WAS BEATEN.

Miss Jennie Jones Was Knocked Down By a Footpad.

Miss Jennie Jones, the 20-year-old daughter of Humphrey J. Jones, an old resident of Emeryville, was brutally beaten and kicked by a lone and desperate footpad last night as she was walking home from church

She is the fourth woman who has been subjected to brutal assaults by highwaymen during the last two weeks, and the fifth within six months, Martha McGrath, Mrs. Silas Fitzinger, Mrs. W. B. Curtis, and Mrs. Elizabeth Case being the other victims.

Miss Jones was unaccompanied. Shortly before 9 o'clock last night she had reached a lonely spot at the crossing of San Pablo avenue and Forty-second street.

A tall man wearing a long black overcoat with lapels that concealed his face, jumped out of the darkness and seizing her tried to stuff a handkerchief into her mouth and down her throat.

Miss Jones mustered every muscle and struggled desperately with her assailant, who brutally rained blow after blow upon her head and face, finally throwing her to the ground and kicking her until she had almost become unconscious.

Just then a San Pablo avenue electric car hove in sight. Her cries attracted the motorman's attention. The car stopped, but before the car men could reach the sidewalk the cowardly assailant had taken to his heels and escaped in the darkness.

The unfortunate young woman was promptly removed to her home.

The Town Marshal of Emeryville could not be found last night and so the Oakland police were notified and a squad of officers hurried to the scene of the assault but found no clue.

MRS. ALLEN FELL AND INJURED HER KNEE.

Mrs. Barbara Allen, proprietor of the Galindo Hotel, is suffering from a sprained knee which will confine her temporarily to her apartment. The injury was sustained by slipping and falling to the floor of the kitchen while superintending the preparation of a meal on Saturday last. Mrs. Allen is under the surgical care of Dr. O. L. Jones.

PACIFIC MAIL IS COMING.

Large Improvements Made at the Old Long Wharf.

West Oakland Will Profit Greatly By the Change.

There is nothing that so deeply interests West Oakland and the employes of the Railroad Company at this time as the transfer to this side of the bay of the vast freight traffic of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. The plan was one which was perfected by the late Collis P. Huntington. As the head of the two allied corporations he readily saw, as the freight of the Pacific Mail increased in volume, that there would be a great saving in expense of the ships from the sea if they could transfer their cargoes direct to the cars that would carry them to their destination.

The work of preparing for this change was by no means a small undertaking.

For many months a large force of men have been kept busy at the old Long Wharf reconstructing the trestleways and piers to accommodate the big ocean liners, and the goods they bring for transportation across the Continent.

This part of the work is now practically completed. The rickety approaches to the old wharf have all but been rebuilt. Three immense pile drivers have been pounding away both day and night for months past replacing piling that time and the worms have eaten away.

A big warehouse has been built at the northern extreme of the wharf, and it is in this that the transfer of the shipments to and from the Orient will be handled.

So far as the reconstruction of Long Wharf and the other improvements thereon are concerned, everything is now in readiness for the Pacific Mail business. All that remains for the Steamship Company to do is to transfer its shipping clerks and freight handlers to this side of the bay. The date of this is fixed at all the way from January 1st to January 15th of the new century.

This is the matter which most directly interests West Oakland and is what the business men of that section of the city base their predictions that 1901 will mark the beginning of one of the most prosperous eras that they have ever known

A majority of them are now residents of San Francisco. It is calculated that most of them will have to move to Oakland. Naturally enough the money that they earn, which in the aggregate is by no means a small sum, will go into the channels of trade of this city.

West Oakland looks for the largest share of this benefit, by reason of its close proximity to the scene of action.

Aside from the immediate pecuniary benefits which will come from this important transfer, railroad men who are in a position to know assert that it is but the beginning of a series of changes which will make Oakland one of the most important shipping points on the American Continent and will force the construction of docks for the accommodation of deep sea vessels along the city's entire water front.

For some years shipping men have argued that there was no apparent excuse for dumping cargoes bound for Eastern points on San Francisco's dock, transferring them to drays, carting them to the nearest rail road track, many blocks away, and loading them into cars which in turn had to be ferried across the bay before they could be made up into trains bound for Eastern points. One, two and three days' time have been lost by this system, to say nothing of the expense entailed for the unnecessary handling of the freight. It is calculated that at least 5 per cent of the cost of transportation can be saved by transferring the cargoes directly from the ships aboard the cars that will carry them to their destination.

The only plan by which this can be accomplished is to provide docks on this side of the bay for the ocean transports where the tracks of the transcontinental railroads can be run almost to the sides of the ships.

The Pacific Mail is the first to adopt this method. Other great shipping interests will be forced to follow in order to keep pace with the progress of the times and be in a position to compete with their rivals.

REPAIRS TO PIEDMONT.

The repairs to the ferry-boat Piedmont made necessary by her collision with a ship in a fog a few weeks ago are nearly completed and it is probable she will be back on her regular run this week. Foreman Bruce of the shipbuilding department has had charge of this work.

GARDEN CITY.

The Creek route steamer Garden City will not go off the ways until the end of January. The boat is being almost entirely reconstructed. Her restaurant and saloon will be located below decks and ample accommodations for passengers is to be provided on the upper deck which previously was not enclosed.

TRIANGLE FILL.

A small amount of work is being done on the triangle fill. In order to keep some of the help employed during the winter season the company has put a crew at work on a dirt train for the fill. There is not a very big hole being made in the space to be filled in, but still something is being accomplished.

MACHINE SHOPS.

The repair shops are running full time. Engine 1291 has been receiving repairs and 1571 is being rebuilt. Nos. 1035, 1336 and 1620 have received a general overhauling and are again in the service.

The engine that was in the Suisun wreck is also in the machine shop. Her forward end was badly smashed and it will take a long time to put her in shape for use.

WRECKERS BUSY.

Foreman Ward of the wrecking department has his cripple track full as a result of the Suisun disaster. Some of the freight cars in the smashup were so badly damaged that they will have to be entirely rebuilt, while others will be thrown into the scrap pile.

YARD NOTES.

The planing mill is only running about half time Nearly all of the work has been caught up with and it is likely it will close down soon until after the first of the year.

There was a slight fire in the Pintsch gas works a short time ago. While the men who worked about the place were frightened for a while, still the damage was nominal.

The clerks at the Peralta street office are not very rushed just now. They are getting even on the extra hard work they had during the lively season.

Maurice Halloran, who was connected with the machine shops for nearly seven years, died suddenly a short time ago at his home in West Oakland.

PERSONALS

Herbert Weymouth, fireman on the Berkeley local, was temporarily transferred recently to the Livermore run

W. W. Collins and family are arranging to spend the Christmas holidays at San Jose with Mrs. Collin's relatives.

Harry Conners of the machine shops, who has been sick for quite a while, has returned to work.

Joseph Dutra of the machine shops entertained a number of friends at a turkey dinner recently. His guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Enos and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Shields and family, William Thomas, S. Anderson and M McWilliams.

Engineer Phipps has been put on the run from Tracy to Mendota, exchanging places with Henry Arth, who goes on the southern overland

Fireman Ray Weymouth, running between Tracy and Mendota, has been visiting relatives in Oakland.

WHY WOMEN ATTEND CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Potter Tries to Get at the Facts in Case.

There was an interesting service at the Union Street Presbyterian Church last evening, when Rev. Dwight R. Potter tried to explain, "Why are there more women than men in churches?"

Dr. Potter has some letters from his congregation on the subject. One reads:

"Because they minded their parents; because women have finer sensibilities; women are more truthful than men, men demand the whole Sabbath for rest; women are governed by the faculty of emotion, while men are governed by the faculty of reason; men generally have not been trained to go to church; women find congenial company at church; because truths taught in churches are of women's deepest interest; because women is more religious than man; woman being the natural home-maker, and the home and church being inseparable, makes it natural for woman to go to church."

Then the Rev. Mr. Potter read some answers from men. Here are some of the opinions:

"Woman is dependent on something; because 'birds of a feather flock together'; because they want to wear and see the latest fashions, while man has no gaudy finery to display; because women are more timid and more fearful of the wrath of God than men."

One man ventured so far as to opine that more women attend church than men "because women are weaker in mind and the scheming and deceiving pastor can make a better impression on them." Another declared that man would rather have his wife represent the religion in the family, on the strength of which he hopes to reach heaven.

At the conclusion of the reading of the answers the Rev. Mr. Potter spoke from the text in the forty-second verse of the tenth chapter of Luke: "Mary has chosen that good work that shall not be taken from her." He went on at length to explain the attitude of Simon, Martha and Mary, and said that one reason why men do not attend church oftener is because they are too much absorbed with material things, because they are moral cowards and because many men hope to reach heaven through the fact that they are "Mrs. Somebody's husband."

LECTURE GIVEN AT SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANDRO, Dec. 10.—An illustrated lecture was given by J. Mass in the Presbyterian Church last evening. Mass, who is a converted Hebrew, appeared in Oriental costume and spoke on "Europe and the Asiatic Countries." The attendance was very large.

Assemblyman J. K. Knowland, who has been sick with the grip, is improving.

J. S. Barbeiro has purchased the Jacobsen cottage on Joaquin avenue.

Eugene Day of Livermore and Miss Katie Carroll of San Leandro were united in marriage last Wednesday by the Rev. Father Powers in the Catholic Church, Livermore.

Mrs. Sacramento of San Leandro captured one of the prizes awarded by the Oakland Poultry Show. Mrs. Sacramento entered a pen of white Leghorns.

OFFICER BEATEN BY A TRAMP.

Deputy Constable J. E. Taylor was nearly beaten into insensibility Saturday night with a coupling pin in the hands of a tramp whom he was attempting to arrest at the Sixteenth street depot. When the vagrant felled Taylor he made his escape. The injured officer was taken to the Receiving Hospital in the patrol wagon. His scalp was lacerated and his face and body severely bruised.

NEW CAPTAIN FOR THE UNIVERSITY TEAM.

BERKELEY, Dec. 10.—Warren W. Smith, known to football fame as "Locomotive" Smith, has been elected captain of the University of California football team. The election was held at the California Hotel in San Francisco Saturday.

The choice between Smith and Lloyd A. Womble for the captaincy was very close. The ballot stood six to four in Smith's favor. Only members of this year's first eleven voted.

INDEPENDENCE OF THE POPE PROPHESIED.

Archbishop Ireland's Significant Words.

Says the Papacy Cannot Be Subject to Temporal Ruler.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Archbishop Ireland, in a sermon preached at St. Patrick's Church in this city, reviewed the question of the independence of the Pope and prophesied that at no remote day "the Italian people and Christendom at large would give back to the Papacy its wonted dignity and liberty." The discussion of what is known as the Roman question was specially significant, as the Archbishop during the latter's recent visit to Rome talked at length with the Pope. The Archbishop referred to the Pope as a prisoner in the Vatican, voluntary in that no physical force prevents his leaving its precincts, and involuntary in that he could not get beyond the Vatican without imparing his dignity as Pontiff and without seeming to accept the situation created for him by the entrance into Rome of the troops of the Italian government. He said the Catholic Church is "a divinely created organization, receiving directly from Christ its mission and all the rights which are needed that it may live and work; its life and mission are expressed in its supreme chief, the successor of Peter, and to him belongs in a preeminent manner all the rights inherent in the church and whose possession is needed for fulfillment of its mission and work willed by Christ. Hence the Pontiff's right to independence and as a consequence to temporal sovereignty. The Archbishop said:

"If the Pope is a civil subject of an authority outside of himself he has not the necessary freedom; the ruler or government would interfere, making laws impairing his freedom of action or strive to impose methods more serviceable to the state than the church. The Pontiff's words must bear no possible suspicion that they were imposed by men who have no authority in things moral and spiritual. If the sovereign Pontiff be the subject of the King of Italy, what guarantee is there for other peoples and other rulers that, whether through fear or favor, Italian influences have not penetrated into the Vatican and that Italian interests are not to be served? The peril of national jealousies would be the greater were the foreign countries at the time warring with the King of Italy. We in America are willing, indeed, to hearken to the words of Peter, but it must be plain that they are not the words of a foreign ruler whose sole purpose is the interest of a foreign nationality of the church. The sole effective guarantee of independence for the Pontiff is temporal sovereignty which marks out for him sufficient space on earth upon which he may work in fulfillment of his mission with all the independence he needs."

WILL NOT RIDE IN OAKLAND.

Tod Sloan Says Tom Williams is a Splendid Turfman.

The following dispatch from Chicago is interesting:

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Jockey Tod Sloan declared here today that racing associations of America need not prepare to refuse him a license to ride; that he does not intend to ask any club in the country for the privilege of taking mounts until he has either cleared his standing with the Jockey Club of England or has been absolutely turned down. Sloan has decided to practically risk his future reputation on the treatment he gets when he returns to England next spring.

After reading the report that Tom Williams of the California Jockey Club had telegraphed to England to secure additional information in the case, with the idea of refusing to allow Sloan the privilege to ride at Oakland if the facts warranted it, Sloan said:

"Mr. Williams is a splendid turfman, and if he has cabled to England for information he probably does it sincerely. However, I don't intend to ride at Oakland or at any other California track. I am going to California for recreation.

"I have been fully prepared for the reports that have followed the word from England. A fellow has to stand for them. A lot of people are asking questions and in such a way as to make it appear there is more behind the case than is now known

"This matter cannot be fully settled until the Jockey Club of England makes a more complete statement or at least gives official notice. That will not come probably for several months, until I apply for a license."

MT. EDEN PEOPLE ON THE MOVE.

MT. EDEN, Dec. 10—A story with a good moral to it is told on one of Mt. Eden's citizens who had concluded to depart for pastures new, while some of his creditors might whistle for their money. The debtor, so it happens, runs a wagon and hay press that has been worked at a loss during the past season, and to satisfy his creditors he had given a mortgage on the wagon and press But his proposed departure from town became known to the holder of the mortgage, and on the night before the debtor expected to pull out this mortgagee took the law into his own hands by removing the nuts from the wagon and press while the owner was asleep. To make a long story short, the debtor could not depart and is still here, but the payment of the debt has not been hastened.

PERSONALS.

Ed H. Clawiter and his nephew, Louis P. Howe, made a hurried business trip to Madera Tuesday, returning last Friday.

Miss Addie Kayser of San Francisco is the guest of her aunt, Miss Clawiter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bamgrover of Los Angeles stopped over a few days with Mrs. Hook They attended the Fruitgrowers' Convention in San Francisco.

Mr. Cox of Monterey county was in town last week, and signed the final papers in the salt companies' consolidation.

Miss Dickman, Miss Hippe, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dickman and August Dickman were among those who attended the masquerade ball at Haywards last Wednesday night.

William Robinson of Alvarado was a guest at the home of the Misses Eden last week.

George Dickman, after a month's recuperation, returned to Pinole last Tuesday to resume work at the powder mill.

Miss Lillie Nellsen has been away on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Healey of San Francisco.

NEWS NOTES FROM LIVERMORE.

LIVERMORE, Dec. 9.—Eugene Day and wife have returned from their bridal trip and have taken rooms at the Livermore Hotel temporarily.

The ladies who are to take part in the female minstrel show for the benefit of the public library have commenced practicing. It is expected to be a big affair.

The Livermore Benevolent Society will meet at the residence of Wendal Jordan on Thursday next.

Livermore Court Foresters will give a masquerade ball at the Armory on New Year's eve.

A large number of oil men were in the valley yesterday inspecting the various oil prospects.

Emil Bardellini is spending a few days in Livermore.

H. P. Gordon of Oakland was in town yesterday.

Town taxes will be delinquent next Monday, December 17th.

Robbed the Grave

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back, and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up Fortunately a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at Osgood Bros.' Drug Store, cor. Seventh and Broadway.

Li's Secretary Arrested.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LONDON, Dec. 10.—A special dispatch from Shanghai announces that Li Hung Chang's Manchu secretary, Yiko, has been arrested by order of Field Marshal Count von Waldersee, on the charge of communicating with the Boxers.

The Custom of Giving Holiday Gifts.

During the last decade it has become so general that there is scarcely one, either young or old, who does not receive a token of some kind. Still it is quite common for a lady to remark: "I don't know what to buy for a man." For such the problem is solved by calling at Smith's Clothing House, corner Washington and Tenth. Neckwear from twenty-five cents upward fit for a king. John B. Stetson hats, special price, $3.65. Smoking jackets in endless variety—almost anything a man might wish for. Big assortment at small prices. Smith's, corner Washington and Tenth.

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MONDAY ....DECEMBER 10, 1900

While the Santa Fe officials will probably win out in the long run, the striking telegraphers command the keys to the situation.

A member of the present Supreme Court of Pennsylvania has been declared bankrupt. In one way this will be a good campaign card for him in the future, for it furnishes indisputable evidence that he is an honest Judge.

McKinley says he will surely visit California in the spring. This will give the local poets a chance to write about something else besides budding flowers and other such sentimentalities disgorged by them during the silly season.

Every day for a week past General Knox has been reported as pressing De Wet, the Boer leader, very hard in South Africa. The power of the press doesn't seem to amount to much, though, in that part of the world, judging by the way the wily burgher continues to remain at large.

A French explorer says that the natives of the Senegal Colony in Africa have of late been subjected to a remarkable drowsiness and that most of them sleep twenty hours daily, and even when walking about are in a sort of trance. What a splendid place to obtain recruits for the police force and messenger boy service.

Every Californian should be a warm advocate of the policy to increase the navy, for, in addition to the increased protection that will be afforded to our coast line we benefit directly in the form of dollars and cents paid out for the construction of the ships. The fact that three more warships have been ordered from the Union Iron Works means that millions of dollars will be spent among our mechanics during the next few years. During the construction of a battleship from 3,000 to 5,000 men are kept constantly employed and every dollar they earn naturally reaches the general channels of circulation in some way.

OUR FOREST ISSUE.

So much has been said about the preservation of our forests that we are in danger of overlooking the very important fact that, beyond the establishment of the national parks some years ago, nothing has been accomplished towards this desired end. Meetings in favor of making a Big Basin reserve, and agitation to advance the purchase of the Calaveras sequoia grove furnish subjects for tea table chat and social gossip, but what are the workers doing? The active men and women who succeeded in removing the mountain timber lands from public sale appear no longer on the scene. The Sierra Club, with its wealth of original literature takes no pains apparently to create that favorable public sentiment, without which, as experience has demonstrated, the forests cannot be kept from destruction, and, we regret to say, the entire theme has degenerated from a vital issue to a pleasing, light topic for mild after dinner discussion.

It may be deemed heresy to say it, but the truth is that the big trees are many years distant from any possible metamorphosis into plain commercial products. The railway, without which they cannot be conveyed to market at a profit in the form of boards, shingles, shakes or cordwood, does not exist as yet even on paper. Then, too, the redwood preserve, the establishment of which is the raison d'etere of the Sempervirens Club, is in no danger of neglect. Let us lay these matters aside for a time and take up the far more important subject of preserving what we have already secured. Our present preserves ought to be properly taken care of by the Government before we ask for more.

Officers and members of the Sierra and Sempervirens Clubs visited the mountains this year in great numbers, yet we have heard nothing from any of these expert observers on the vital point of the inadequate attention paid by the Government to the national parks, nor has one of them spoken of the menace of fire that this neglect entails. The handful of wardens employed seemingly for no other reason than that they know the trails and are thus able to checkmate the invading sheep herders, will do no more than post printed warnings about camp fires. But notices will not clear out the undergrowth, and there is where the danger lies. Brush, brambles and useless tree growth, crushed under the snows of winter, await only the blistering suns of August and September to become so much tinder, while in the high forests the highly inflammable pine needles have gone on accumulating under the trees for years. A burning gun wad, the spark from a pipe, a half-extinguished match carelessly and unthinkingly may be dropped at any time and in such surroundings instantly everything around is ablaze. In those days when the timber men had a personal interest in the woods such rubbish was not permitted to accumulate and was kept in check as far as possible, but the United States Government has done nothing in this direction since it took control of the reserves. As a consequence it is now no exaggeration to assert that the traveler through these forests must exercise almost as much precaution against fire as if he were in a powder magazine.

Very few will be so careful. For this reason, and with no intention to disparage the work of those who aim to "save" the Calaveras Grove, to explore the Sierras and to establish Big Basin Park, we believe that their efforts could be more usefully directed at present towards the solution of how to clear the national reserves from the dense and highly combustible undergrowth with which they are choked. If the next year should pass with nothing done, it is no pessimistic prophecy that by 1904 the Government will possess in the national parks a vast wilderness of scorched granite crags and gorges and there will be no Sierra forests to preserve.

A FINANCIAL CONTRAST.

There is intimation of a panic in the English money market which is reported to be the outgrowth of the government's secrecy in not letting the true condition of its affairs become known. The leading financial paper of London appears to entertain the opinion that the resources of the imperial exchequer have been overstrained on account of the extensive operations in Africa and China. This is in strange contrast to the manner in which the United States has successfully carried itself under the heavy expense entailed in our operations in the Philippines and in the West Indies. In addition to this enormous outlay and our burden in the Chinese affair there is a big surplus on hand in the treasury and Congress is now in the throes of devising methods to lessen the incoming funds, which are greater than even the extraordinary expenses require.

If we can sail along so well without any jar to our financial system it is evident that we have passed Great Britain as the money power of the world. There is apparently no limit to our financial resources and Uncle Sam has at his disposal all that he will ever require to conduct his affairs. Even during the Cleveland administration the United States was compelled to go out into the market and negotiate securities. Our bonds brought a big premium and the tenders of coin were several times in excess of the sum required. That we had a crisis then in our affairs was not due to the lack of money in the country, but to the want of confidence that resulted as a consequence of the Democratic policy of experimenting with the tariff. Under normal conditions this country has no fears of a money panic. It is too prosperous in all lines, and in the absence of any radical legislation it will always be able to carry itself along in time of peace without having recourse to loans, while in war times we have resources to draw upon that are practically without limit. We are not dependent upon the world's money-lenders, no matter what may happen, and the strength of our financial position today as compared with that of England, which once ruled the world in that regard, not only assures our present prosperity as a nation, but indicates that in the not very distant future the United States will control the destinies of the entire civilization of the universe.

TIME TO KEEP QUIET.

It is evident that the newly appointed Senator from the commonwealth of Minnesota, Charles A. Towne, has learned a salutary lesson from the overwhelming defeat of the Democracy, for he declares that he will not engage in any debate during the short time that is allotted to him to fill a seat in that august legislative body, the United States Senate. Senator Towne was appointed by the Democratic Governor of the State to fill out the unexpired term made vacant by the death of Cushman K. Davis, and his time only extends until the meeting of the Legislature, which is overwhelmingly Republican. Towne was the nominee of the Populists for the Vice-Presidency, but was induced to step down and out in order to induce harmony in the fusion of the two parties, which consisted in giving everything to the Democracy. Far from being soured by his treatment, he took the stump in the advocacy of Bryanism and toured the entire country in the interest of the Nebraskan. His announcement that he will remain quiet in his seat as a significant sign that the results of the last election have left an impression on his mind which has enabled him to reach the conclusion that too much talking is bad for occupants of the political arena. The campaign, therefore, was not fought in vain, and if Senator Towne's intimates will only follow his example the country will have occasion to rejoice over the relief from the jaw-wagging methods Bryan has employed year in and year out since he first secured the nomination for the Presidency.

England is said to be behind Portugal in its attitude of threatened hostility to Holland. This seems reasonable enough, for it savors of killing two birds with one stone as far as John Bull is concerned—getting even with the Dutch for affording a haven to Kruger and giving the glad hand to the owner of Delagoa Bay.

The Paris police report that 13,000 arrests were made on the fair grounds during the exposition. The round-up was not a complete one, either, judging by the shortages that are reported in the accounts of some of the departments.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A carb-uncle is a jewel of a relative.

Life and coat buttons often hang by slender threads.

Whether it be lost or not it is an easy matter to find fault.

A man may be regular in his habits and yet have bad habits.

Speak kindly at all times if you would hear only pleasing echoes.

Unless you have faith in your ability you can never win a battle.

Men resemble needles; when they are broke women have no use for them.

Time waits for no man—unless he is carrying the ticket for his watch.

It is easier to see through a window glass than it is through a glass eye.

A girl may be as pretty as a picture, but she is seldom as pretty as her own picture.

The inbred curiosity of some people enables others to make a living without work.

Everything seems to be the object of a trust nowadays. Even the gentle rain forms pools in the streets.

Much has been said against pride, but it at least never brings one the humiliation of having a favor refused.

Many a man imagines that every married woman he meets would have preferred him to the man she married if they had only met sooner.—Chicago News.

German Soldiers Must Be Frugal.

Small as is the wage received by the German soldier, yet the army regulations guard it jealously, for frugality is part of the training. Each soldier places his money in a little bag suspended from a string about his neck. At any time during inspection the officer may demand to have the bags opened, and if it is found that any soldier spends his six cents a day wages too rapidly he is reprimanded and punished. He must make his wages, small as they are, cover his expenses; he must not spend them instantly for beer.—McClure's Magazine.

What the Prince Was Worth.

Some years ago the Prince of Wales visited a factory where a large number of men were employed. The Prince asked one of the workmen, who was perfectly ignorant of the identity of the stranger who was addressing him:

"What wages do the men have here?"

"Well," replied the honest workman, respectfully scratching his head and partially lifting his cap with the same hand, "that depends on what they is. A chap like you would get about eighteen bob a week."—London Tit-Bits.

A Lapsus Lingune.

An amusing lapsus lingune is reported to the London Chronicle from a suburban church. "It is a church," says the Chronicle, "with a mixed choir, and the ladies protested against being arrayed in surplices—perhaps unwilling to be confounded with the gentlemen of the choir, also clothed in these glorified nightgowns, perhaps because they preferred more fashionable costumes. The clergyman combated their arguments for some time, and then finally laid down the law, 'surplices or nothing.' The blushing damsels of the amazed choir accepted the surplices."

SOCIETY.

The regular meeting of the "No Name Whist Club" was held at the home of Miss Flora Harvey, No. 1354 Tenth avenue, East Oakland, Thursday evening, December 6th. The cosy rooms were daintily decorated with feathery bamboo and trailing grasses of smilax and Christmas berries. Four tables were occupied by the members of the club. The games closed at 10 o'clock, and the lucky winners of the prizes were Mr. and Mrs. Le Rue and Mr. and Mrs. Hall.

Miss Bertha Hunter, assisted by Mrs. Blake-Alverson, carried out a short program of vocal and instrumental music, much to the pleasure of all present. The guests evinced their pleasure by a generous applause for both performers, who did so well and added so much to the pleasure of the evening. After the rendering of the program light refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Le Rue, Mrs. Harney, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Leach, Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Agnes Cole, Captain Harvey, Mrs. Harvey, Mr. Hunter, Miss Bertha Hunter, Miss Flora Harvey, Mrs. Blake-Alverson.

The junior promenade, the most exclusive affair of the year at the University of California, took place on Saturday evening in Hearst Hall. Lloyd Womble was floor manager, assisted by Hewitt Devenport and Challin Parker.

Arrangements for the dance were in the hands of Miss Camille Sawyer, Miss Eugenia Mouser, Bosworth Sawyer, T. Wilson Dibblee, Frank Dutton and Salis White. Those on the promenade committee were Miss Lulu Rued, Miss Alma Corbel, Miss Mabel Jarvis, Warren Wilbur-fore Smith, Ray Carter and Philip Clay.

The patronesses were Mrs Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Mrs. Bakewell, Mrs. Page, Mrs. Slate, Mrs. Wickson, Mrs. Boke, Mrs Thomas R. Bacon.

Some of those who were present were:

Miss Zoe Ackerman, Miss Alda Altha Adams, Miss Jane Elizabeth Adams, John Quincy Adams Jr., Miss Veda H. Adams, Alexander Adler, William G. Agar, Miss Winifred Aking, William B. Albertson, Archie Aulison Alexander, Frank B. Alexander, Philip W. Alexander, Beverly Sprague Allen, Frederick M. Allen, William W. Allen, Mark N. Alling, Amers E. Almind, Fletcher Ames, Miss Isabel Ames, Miss Nancy S. Ames, Miss Catherine Anderson, Miss Helen Anderson, John Anderson, Miss Minnie Andrew, Edwin Harold Andrews, Earle C. Anthony, Miss Fanny Ardley, Julian H. Arnold, Robert Paramore Arnold, Miss Mary Josephine Arnoldy, George H. Arthur, Christopher H. Asyland, Miss Fanny Avery, Miss Grace Avery.

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Collector of the Port F. S. Stratton was tendered a banquet Saturday by attaches of the Custom House. The affair took place at the Merchants' Club. Those present were F. S. Stratton, F. E. Brigham, A. C. Donnell, W. B. Bellingall, G. H. Ames, W. B. Hamilton, E. E. Porter, T. C. Coogan, B. C. Cuvellier, G. R. Luskens, A. P. Brayton and J. C. Spring.

M. L. Renna is in New York and is registered at the Holland.

A. B. Deming, for many years a pioneer resident of Oakland, is now a member of the California colony in New York. In conversation with an Eastern correspondent recently he said: "I don't know why I ever left California and came here to live. People here still have queer ideas about the coast. I tell them it is God's country, even if the devil is well represented there."

Miss Martha Hutchinson and Bernard Ransome will be married December 19th at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hutchinson, Eighth and Brush streets. Miss Hutchinson will be attended by her sister, Mrs. William Bull Pringle of San Francisco. Prentiss Hutchinson, brother of the bride-elect, will be best man. Edward Sessions and Dwight Hutchinson will act as ushers.

Assistant Paymaster Fred K. Perkins, U. S. N., has been detached from Mare Island and assigned to duty on the Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore Jr. and Miss Jacueline Moore have returned from New York and Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dyer have returned from St. Helena. They are visiting Mrs. E. L. Dyer, 1302 Alice street.

W. J. Landers, the well known fire insurance underwriter has returned from Europe. Mrs. Landers and Miss Berenice Landers are expected here this week. The Landers will reside at the Metropole during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Yale expect to occupy their new home at Adams Point this week.

Miss May Hurd, daughter of Assessor W. N. Hurd of Colusa county, is the guest of Miss Edith Perego, on Eighteenth street.

Mrs. Remi Chabot and daughters will spend the winter in Paris.

A dispatch from Washington dated December 5th, says:

"Justice and Mrs. McKenna's home on Rhode Island avenue was transformed into a beautiful semi-tropical arbor this afternoon on the occasion of the debut of Miss Hildegarde McKenna, daughter of the house.

"The hours of the reception were from 5 to 7, and during that time there was a continual stream of carriages to and from the house. Mrs. McKenna was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, Mrs. Robert Hitt, Misses Patton, Newlands, Harlan, Garret of Baltimore, Evelyn Sloan of New York, Julia Foraker-Foulke, Lila Griggs and Marie McKenna. All of the Cabinet officials and ladies were in attendance, and among the fifty or more members of the diplomatic corps were Lord Pauncefote and the Misses Pauncefote.

"Mrs. McKenna wore lavender satin, trimmed with point lace. Miss McKenna was greatly admired and gracefully bore the honors of the occasion. She was attired in an exquisitely simple gown of white crepe de Chine, trimmed with white lace."

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BATHROOM FOR THE U. C. STUDENTS.

Mrs. Phoebe Hearst has awarded a contract to Kidder & McCullough to construct a bath-house addition to Hearst Hall. Mrs. Hearst is having the building fitted up as a gymnasium for the young lady students of the University. The contract price of the new addition is $1,220.

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THOS. H. WILLIAMS JR., President.
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BOTH SIDES ARE CLAIMING VICTORY

Status of the Santa Fe Strike Seems to Be a Question of Veracity.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—From advices received today the officials of the Santa Fe Company are fully convinced that the telegraphers' strike is nearly over. At 10 o'clock Third Vice-President Barr received from General Manager Mudge at Topeka the following message:

"Newman at Wichita is sending messages to all operators telling them that they have agreed with President Ripley to arbitrate and that they can return to work subject to call again."

Regarding this message Mr. Barr said:

"So far as the railroad company is concerned there has been no agreement to arbitrate, and this action on the part of Newman is simply that the strike is fizzling out."

President Ripley confirmed Mr. Barr's assertion that there has been no agreement to arbitrate, and emphatically reiterated his statement of Saturday that "no operator who had joined this strike in violation of the agreement with the company would be re-employed.

NEWMAN'S STATEMENT.

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 10.—The following statement was issued at 11 a. m. by General Chairman Newman of the Santa Fe system of telegraphers:

"At this hour the situation here is brighter than it has ever been since the strike was inaugurated. Word has come to me from different sources that the Santa Fe officials are sending out bogus telegrams over my alleged signature wherein I order the men to return to work, as the strike is temporarily adjusted. I brand this and all similar statements as a base lie made up by the railroad officials to deceive the operators and to get them to return to work in order that the congested condition of freight and passenger traffic may be relieved. During the last eighteen hours twenty to twenty-five men are quit who did not belong to the union but were taken in to fill the place of the strikers. The fact is that D. L. Delaney, agent of the Santa Fe in this city; H. A. Tice, superintendent of the Santa Fe; E. A. Torrington, district freight agent and traveling freight agent; W. L. E. Damon, traveling auditor, all of whom at some time in their lives have been operators, are now along the line at Mulvane and Oklahoma City handling the keys personally, as no operators could be obtained. J. H. Wescott, night chief dispatcher at Arkansas City, the center of the trouble, has been transferred to Wichita.

"If any attempt is made by the Santa Fe to pass freight over the Missouri Pacific, the operators of that road will leave the key at once. This I can say after a consultation with representatives of that system. The same is true of the Frisco, the Southern Pacific and the other roads that connect with the Santa Fe. Wherever there is a joint office of the Santa Fe and Frisco both offices are closed so far as the strikers are concerned and the red board is out."

VALLEY ROAD RUNNING.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—J. M. Barr, third vice-president of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, declared today that the railroad operators strike was not effective west of Albuquerque, and on the Galveston, Colorado and Santa Fe roads. Between four and five hundred men, he said, were still out on the Southern Kansas division, the Oklahoma Southern and Western divsion.

L. J. Polk, general manager of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe, wired Mr. Barr today that twenty-one freight trains on the Northern division and twelve on the Southern division were running as usual. Of thirty-two men sent to take the places of strikers, nineteen went to work, the others deserting.

W. G. Nevin, the Santa Fe manager at Los Angeles, telegraphed the road was running as usual on the valley division, competent men having been secured for all but four important stations. Many strikers returned to work. Fruit shippers, Mr. Nevin said, had been notified that the Santa Fe could handle business up to the limit of their equipment.

"Cattle trains are not being materially delayed," said Mr. Barr. "We are having no trouble getting men. One hundred men from here and as many more from other cities have been sent to Topeka, from which they will be sent to other points as needed. I feel sure that they will be no sympathetic strikes of men in other branches of the service."

DENIES NEWMAN'S CHARGE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—President Ripley of the Santa Fe characterized as "absurd and wholly untruthful," Chairman Newman's charge that the railroad officials had been forging his name to bogus telegrams to the striking operators.

"It might be possible," said Mr. Ripley, "for some one to impose on Mr. Mudge, but it is ridiculous to accuse Mr. Mudge or any other officials of resorting to forgery and bogus telegrams in this controversy."

THE CONDUCTORS' STAND.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Dec. 10.—E. E. Clark, chief of the Conductors' Brotherhood, today made emphatic denial of the report that the order had promised help to the operators in the Santa Fe strike. In his opinion, arbitration should settle such disputes.

OPERATORS CONFIDENT.

WICHITA, Kansas, Dec. 10.—The following message was received today by Mr. Newman, general chairman of the Santa Fe telegraphers, from St. Louis, where the headquarters of the O. R. T. is located:

"ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 10.—J. A. Newman, Wichita, Kas.: 'Progress of strike entirely satisfactory. President Dolphin is in Galveston, personally directing affairs. Our success is assured beyond doubt if men stand firm. Ninety-nine per cent of the men on the Santa Fe Pacific, Southern California, Valley line and the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe, are out and over 95 per cent of the Santa Fe proper. It is absolutely necessary that all men stay out to the end, for defeat at this time would mean the abdication of the schedule on the whole Santa Fe system. Pay no attention to newspaper stories of railroad officials that they are hiring large numbers of men and that many numbers of other men are returning to work. Both are untrue and are made in the hope of weakening the men. They cannot fill strikers' places. Twenty-four hours more will bring victory to us. See that all your territory gets this at once and urge them to stand firm.

"H. B. PERHAM,
"General Secretary and Treasurer."

Mr. Newman says that when the strike is off he will notify all local chairmen and they, instead of him, will order the men back.

President Dolphin advises from Galveston that the men in the other departments have wired the railroad officials that the strike must be at once stopped or it will involve the entire train service.

"The message sent from Topeka by General Manager Mudge that I have declared the strike off is utterly without foundation," said Mr. Newman, "and General Manager Mudge knew he was stating a falsehood when he sent the message. We will not arbitrate under any circumstances."

NO STRIKE ON SAN JOAQUIN.

STOCKTON, Dec. 10.—There is no strike of the telegraph operators on the San Joaquin division of the Santa Fe system, nor will there be for some time at least. A meeting was held by the local committee Saturday night last, at which it was decided that no strike would be made on this division until some new phase of the general situation warranted it. Local trains are running regularly and no strike is anticipated.

MANAGER NEVIN'S CLAIMS.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 10.—From General Manager Nevin's office the following statement was obtained this morning in regard to the strike situation on the Santa Fe:

"The trouble on our Southern California division never reached proportions to cause us inconvenience. In this city all vacancies have been filled. On the valley road six men quit last night, two west of Stockton and four between Stockton and Bakersfield. Their places have all been filled or will be before night. On Superintendent Denah's division all been filled or will be before ten men quit their keys, and on Superintendent Hibbard's division from Seligman to Albuquerque there were 4 vacancies yesterday. Practically all these have been supplied, many of the old men having returned to work and in other cases new men being employed. We are handling our through telegraph business from the coast to Chicago with no delay whatever, and all freight and passenger traffic is being handled without the slightest delay or interruption. So far as the lines west of Albuquerque are concerned, the strike is practically ended."

FIREMEN NOT INVOLVED.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 10.—Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen this morning denied the report that the firemen on the Santa Fe would strike out of sympathy for the telegraphers. He stated that the Brotherhood which he represents would not be drawn into the controversy.

SITUATION IN COLORADO.

LA JUNTA, Colo., Dec. 10.—The Santa Fe sent the regular trains out today, also several extra freights. The passenger trains from the East were late.

About 150 men in the mechanical department of the railroad shops were laid off. The railroad officials claim they will have all the operators they can use in a few days.

MANAGER AT THE KEY.

TOPEKA, Kas., Dec. 10.—General Manager Mudge of the Santa Fe this afternoon said:

"Everything is running smoothly. The only change is that many operators are urging to be taken back. It is too late now."

"Trains are running regularly, passenger and freight," said Superintendent Ressegule. "We are filling all business and starting all that comes in."

The California limited train, due in Kansas City tomorrow morning, and reported "lost" is all right and left La Junta, Colo, this afternoon twenty-five minutes late.

Both General Manager Mudge and Superintendent Ressegule are working at the key in the general office here today.

SUMMARY OF STRIKE.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 10.—A summary of the strike situation of the Santa Fe reached here at noon in a telegram to W. H. Sharp, in charge of Kansas City terminals, gives the following:

Chicago division—About 115 operators at work, which fills all places except a few unimportant stations.

Eastern division—Practically all stations filled.

Middle division—All stations filled.

Western division—About one-half stations working.

Oklahoma division—Operators working at all important stations.

New Mexico and Rio Grande divisions—All except a few unimportant stations working.

Southern Kansas—Operators working at most important stations, and vacancies are being filled with men employed locally in other capacities.

The overland "flyers" west-bound due in Kansas City Saturday night and east-bound due here yesterday were reported on time.

Dinner Sets

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1354 Park st., Alameda.

SUPERVISORS WILL SUE THE STATE.

The District Attorney is Ordered to File Papers in Case.

People in Quarantine at Tesla Ask the Board for Aid.

The Board of Supervisors intend to sue the State of California to obtain from it the money which it has expended recently in caring for orphans and indigents residing in this county.

A resolution instructing the District Attorney to proceed in the premises was adopted. The resolution is as follows:

TO SUE THE STATE.

"Resolved, That the District Attorney of the county of Alameda, State of California, is hereby instructed and authorized by this Board to institute such legal proceedings as may be necessary on behalf of the county of Alameda to enforce the payment of the sum of $3,089.27 now due and payable to the county of Alameda, State of California, under and by virtue of an act of the Legislature, State of California, entitled, 'An act to appropriate money for the support of orphans, half-orphans and abandoned children,' approved March 25, 1880, amended March 7, 1883, and to compel the Board of Examiners of the State of California to audit and allow the amount of said claim, a copy of which is hereto attached."

All the members present voted for the resolution.

RELIEF ASKED FOR.

Applications for relief were received from the following residents of Tesla, all on the ground of sickness: Fanny Ward, William Gray, William H. Jackson, H. B. Scott, Simon Bolles, Oliver Rucker, Luther Smith, two children, Austin Kenney, Arthur Jackson, Dennis John, George Mosby, Charles Lucas, Frank Standredge, George Wallace.

The applicants are employes of the San Francisco and San Joaquin Coal Company who are quarantined in a house on the company's premises at Tesla because they were inmates of some homes at that place in which a couple of cases of smallpox were recently discovered.

Supervisor Wells made a statement to that effect, and on motion the applications were referred to him to be attended to.

Mr. Wells stated that he understood there were now three cases of smallpox at Tesla.

The application for relief of C. C. Allman, colored, 292 Alameda avenue, was referred to Supervisor Talcott.

ALVARADO WORK.

The report of F. B. Granger, road foreman at Alvarado, showed expenditures of $1,012.11 from August 1st to August 31st. Filed.

COUNTY LAW LIBRARY.

The report of the Alameda County Law Library Association showed the total amount of receipts for the year ending December 1, 1900, were $1,988.60. The expenditures were $1,623.25, leaving a balance on hand of $365.35. The report was referred to the County Expert.

NATIONAL LIVE STOCK.

A communication from the National Live Stock Association regarding a meeting of the Association to be held in Salt Lake, January 15, 16, 17, 18, 1901, was referred to Supervisor Talcott.

The Treasurer reported that there was in the County Treasury to the credit of the County Road and Bridge Fund $77,121, subject to apportionment among the several district roads according to law.

APPORTIONING FUNDS.

A resolution was adopted directing the County Treasurer to place 25 per cent of the county road and bridge money to the credit of the general road fund and the balance among the several district road funds.

The application of Barbara Baumberger, San Leandro road near San Leandro bridge, for a saloon license, was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

A permit to sell liquor was granted to Martin Frates and Eugene Maciel Costa of Fitchburg.

ROAD ABANDONMENT.

A petition for the abandonment of a road running through the lands of J. Patterson, Antone John, J. H. Wise, Dennis Hernal and Peter Wilson was read. It was signed by Amos Clark, A. C. McLeod, William Clark, Peter Wilson, A. G. Beazelle, C. H. Wente, James Concannon, P. L. Sangmaster, D. J. Murphy, J. W. Merchant and L. C. Cull.

On motion George Beck, W. H. Wright and E. C. Prather were appointed viewers in the matter, to report it to the Board at as early a day as possible.

GRADES AND GRADING.

A resolution was adopted establishing grades on Piedmont roads as suggested by the County Surveyor.

A resolution was adopted ordering the grading of Fifth avenue in Piedmont from Vernal to Hillside avenue. Offers from contractors for the performance of the work will be received up to December 31st at 11 a. m.

Resolutions were adopted transferring from the General Road Fund to various district road funds sums as follows: Murray district, $1,000; Fruitvale district, $4,580, $725.

MUNYON'S DYSPEPSIA CURE

When Prof. Munyon says his Dyspepsia Cure will cure indigestion and all forms of stomach trouble he simply tells the truth. It will cure a stomach that has been abused by over-eating and over-drinking. It will cure a stomach that has been weakened by old-style drugs and debilitating cathartics. It will do much toward making an old stomach act like a sound one. At all drugg sts, 25 cents. Fifty-six other cures. Write to Broadway and 26th St., New York, for free medical advice.

SENATOR TOWNE IS SWORN IN.

Senate Speedily Goes Into Executive Session.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—When the Senate convened today Mr. Chandler of New Hampshire, Mr. Lea of Tennessee and Mr. Turley of Tennessee, who heretofore during the present session had not been in attendance, were in their seats.

Charles A. Towne, appointed to succeed the late Senator C. K. Davis of Minnesota, also was in attendance.

Mr. Nelson of Minnesota at once presented the credentials of Mr. Towne and they were read.

Mr. Chandler, chairman of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, directed attention to the last clause of the credentials, which was that Mr. Towne should hold his seat until his successor was elected and qualified." He said the Constitution provided simply that the appointee should hold office until the Legislature had met.

"In the credentials presented," said Mr. Chandler, "the Governor has undertaken to prescribe the length of the new Senator's term. The added clause of the credentials, of course, is superfluous. I desire simply to call attention to this fact and have no intention to object to the swearing in of Mr. Towne."

The new Senator was conducted to the desk by Mr. Nelson and the oath of office was administered by Mr. Frye, the President pro tem.

Mr. Towne was congratulated warmly by many of his colleagues as he took his desk on the Democratic side of the chamber.

A bill to provide for the appointment of an additional District Judge in the Northern district of Ohio was passed.

Mr. Hanna of Ohio offered a resolution that a committee of three Senators be appointed by the president pro tem to make the necessary arrangements for the inauguration of the President of the United States on the 4th of March next. Under the rules the resolution went over.

The Senate, after the transaction of some routine business, at 12:35, on motion of Mr. Lodge, went into executive session.

LADIES DRILL IN FINE STYLE.

Alcatraz Corps Made a Good Showing at Entertainment.

Editor TRIBUNE:—Recently the ladies of Alcatraz Drill Corps entertained the members of the Oakland and San Francisco press at Magnolia Hall, near Seventh and Magnolia streets, Oakland. There was dancing during the evening for those who enjoyed that form of pleasure, humorous and sentimental recitations by Mr. Clark, and musical selections, interspersed with drilling by the corps.

The ladies also had prepared an elaborate collation for the enjoyment of their guests, and the entire evening was a source of pleasure to those present.

The drill master of the corps, Captain Adams, put the corps through some very difficult movements, and demonstrated to all present that Alcatraz Drill Corps is a strictly military organization, and not merely a company adept in executing certain fancy movements from given and previously understood signals.

Neither the members of the corps nor the commanding officer had any idea what order would be given until the order was issued. The ladies are certainly well drilled. Their wheeling and marching company front on this occasion was perfect and would have put to blush many a veteran company.

The ladies were neatly uniformed and presented an attractive appearance. All present spent a happy and profitable evening—profitable, because it adds to one's knowledge to know that we have in our midst a female organization of such marked military perfection.

MRS. D. P. HOOS.

WORKMEN WILL HOLD A JUBILEE.

The close of A. O. U. W. silver jubilee will take place tomorrow night in Masonic Hall, Peralta street near Seventh, when California Lodge No. 1 of the order, the pioneer in the State, will be presented with an elegant souvenir consisting of a metallic shield with silver raised work. The presentation will be made in behalf of all the other lodges of the A. O. U. W. of Alameda county. The presentation speech will be delivered by Grand Master Workman Charles E. Snook. There will be an interesting program of other events and a pleasant evening is anticipated.

BERKELEY WOMEN AFTER RAILROAD.

The efforts of the Town of Berkeley to widen Shattuck avenue are meeting with decided opposition from Mrs. Mary A. Townsend, who was made a party defendant in the suit of the town against the Southern Pacific Company and others to condemn the strip of land to be taken for the proposed improvement.

Some time ago Mrs. Townsend had a dispute with the railroad over the property and just to give evidence of ownership she sat on the track one day and stopped the passenger trains.

Now she sets up in her answer a denial of the railroad's title.

IMPROVEMENT WILL HELP TOWN OF SAN LEANDRO.

Supervisors Order Fine Piece of Work in Country.

New Bridge Will Soon Span Creek on County Road.

The old truss bridge which has, for more than a quarter of a century, done duty over San Leandro Creek, a short distance west of the town of San Leandro, is to be torn down and, in its stead, is to be built a concrete culvert and bridge, which is to be a model of its kind, both in design and endurance.

This departure will be in keeping with the policy which has been pursued for some years by the Board of Supervisors, namely, making permanent all works of improvement where old-time structures had to be disposed of.

The bridge which now spans the creek mentioned is in decay. It has been patched and braced to keep it from going to pieces, but it will stand no more makeshift work of this kind. For that reason the substitution of a modern structure has been decided on and will be rushed to completion with all possible dispatch.

Action in the premises was taken this morning, at the meeting of the Supervisors, by the adoption of a resolution ordering the advertising for plans and specifications for a concrete culvert over the creek mentioned, eighty feet in width, the specifications to be accompanied by an estimate of the cost of the structure. The plans and specifications are to be submitted to the Supervisors December 24, at 11 A. M. Remuneration for the best plans shall be $20. Copies of the advertisement asking for bids are to be forwarded to engineers throughout the State with the request that they send in plans and specifications.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all plans and to decide which plans and specifications are the best.

This culvert and bridge form the biggest piece of work of this kind ever undertaken in Alameda county.

The cost of the work is variously estimated. It is not expected that it will be much below $25,000.

The Board adjourned until Monday next.

AN ENGINEER IS SUED FOR A DIVORCE.

Edward Frick, whose home is in East Oakland has sued Josephine Frick for a divorce. He alleges that his wife deserted him. Frick is an engineer in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company and runs between here and Sacramento. R. B. Tappan is his attorney.

NORDLUND IS DECAPITATED.

End of the Fiend Who Murdered Seven Men.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

VESTERMAS, Dec. 10.—Philip Nordlund, who on May 17th last, as the steamer Prinz Karl, on which he was a passenger, was passing Quicksund, murdered seven men and wounded five others, a woman and a boy, subsequently escaping in a boat to Koping, and who was convicted and sentenced to death in June last, was beheaded today.

The condemned man chanted a psalm as he laid his head on the block.

CAMPBELL ESTATE DISPUTE SETTLED.

The trouble which was promised over the distribution of the Alexander Campbell estate was settled today by the admission of the attorneys for the sons that all of the beneficiaries under the will are blood relatives of the deceased, with the exception of the Masonic Cemetery Association.

Prof. Stratton's Lecture.

The announcement heretofore made that Professor George Stratton of the University of California would deliver a lecture at Wendte Hall this evening under the auspices of the Starr King Fraternity, on "Imitation, Suggestion and Hypnotism" is a mistake. The lecture will be delivered on Monday evening, December 17th, instead of this evening, as announced.

THE NOBEL BEQUEST.

Under the patronage of King Oscar of Sweden, the philanthropic institution founded in his will by the late Swedish millionaire, Robert Nobel, has just been organized. Nobel's fortune, which he accumulated as a manufacturer of guns, powder, dynamite, and other instruments of warfare, amounts to $7,000,000, the interest of which will be used for yearly prizes awarded to men who have achieved the greatest results in science, letters, art, and invention. Competition is open to the entire world. The Swedish academy and the Norwegian Storthing will constitute the jury of awards.

GREAT CHANGES.

"I notice that they talk of making some important architectural changes in several of London's most famous structures. They are even going to widen London bridge."

"Yes, and I see that the Prince of Wales is going to wear his trousers hereafter without creases."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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GREAT HOLIDAY EXHIBITION.

NOW OPEN FOR INSPECTION
EVENINGS UNTIL 9:00 P. M.

Santa Claus will make his appearance in our Bazar Wednesday, Thursday and Friday between the hours of 10:00 and 12:00 A. M.

Children in company with their parents will receive his attention.

All ladies purchasing goods in the Bazar to the amount of $1.00 will receive a special souvenir.

We are showing the greatest line of Dolls, Toys, Books, Tricycles, Wagons and Velocipedes ever shown in the City of Oakland.

OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST.

SUFFRAGISTS TO HOLD CONVENTION

Annual Session to Be Held in San Francisco.

The annual convention of the California Woman Suffrage Association will convene at 10 o'clock on Friday morning, December 14th, in Golden Gate Hall, 627 Sutter street, San Francisco.

The first session will be devoted to reports of officers and auxiliary societies.

In the afternoon from 3 to 5 a reception will be tendered the delegates, and on Saturday morning the election of officers will be held.

The present officers are: President, Mrs. Mary Wood Swift of San Francisco; first vice-president, Mrs. I. N. Chapman of Alameda; second vice-president, Mrs. E. O. Smith of San Jose; third vice-president, Mrs. R. H. Pratt of St. Helena; recording secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Harnden of San Francisco; corresponding secretary, Miss Carrie A. Whelan of Oakland; treasurer, Mrs. Mary S. Sperry of San Francisco; auditors—Mrs. Mary S. Keane of Oakland and Mrs. A. K. Spero of Berkeley.

A very large delegation will go from Alameda county this year, as the old clubs have doubled their membership, and two new clubs have been formed in Oakland and a very flourishing one in Berkeley.

AUDITOR BREED TELLS OF FUNDS.

City Auditor Breed filed his report today on the amounts available on December 1st for the street, fire, police and sewer funds, together with an estimate of the unavoidable expenses of these four departments from December 1st of this year to June, 1901.

These estimates were requested by the Board of Public Works some weeks ago and will be read at the Board's meeting late this afternoon. The report is as follows:

"I estimate that you will have available in the street fund from December 1st to June 30th, $10,193; that the unavoidable expenses I estimate to be $25,515.

"Estimated available amount for same period in fire fund, $38,881; estimated amount of unavoidable expense, $32,660. This amount, however, does not include expense for the two engine houses in the annexed territory. I would estimate that if the said engine houses were located on January 1st that the amount required to equip and maintain them for six months would be approximately $8,000.

"Estimated amount available in police fund, $45,702; unavoidable expense estimated at $47,250.

"Estimated amount in sewer fund, $3,669; estimated unavoidable expenses, $2,490.

PHILBROOK'S MOTION IS OFF THE CALENDAR.

Attorney Philbrook's motion for a rehearing of the Merritt guardianship matter, as well as other motions connected with the case, was stricken from the calendar of Judge Greene's department of the Superior Court today by consent of the attorneys interested. It is stipulated that the case can be restored upon five days' notice.

The case was allowed to rest for the reason that Judge Sweeney of Shasta, who heard it, cannot arrange to come here again until the end of next January.

A Divorce Granted.

A divorce has been granted to Eliza Radcliff from Frank Radcliff. Desertion was the charge. Judge Hall signed the decree. Mrs. Radcliff was awarded the custody of their minor child, Frankie.

They Were Married.

Charles Allen McKendrick, aged 41 years, and Mary Wantels, of the same age, both of Sacramento, came to Oakland today and were married in the County Clerk's office by Justice of the Peace Quinn.

She Died at Livermore.

Jule Lorrain has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Marie Lorrain, who died at Livermore November 10, 1900. Deceased owned a ranch in Murray township valued at $4,000, besides other property.

PAPER OUT OF TOBACCO.

The ribs of tobacco leaves are among the substance out of which paper is made.

CANADIANS LEAVE LONDON.

Women and Girls Give Them a Hysterical Farewell.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The detachment of the Royal Canadian Regiment, consisting of Companies A, B and I, which reached England about a fortnight ago, on its return from South Africa, left London this morning for Liverpool. The Scots Guards' band accompanied the men to the railway station, where Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, High Commissioners for Canada, and other prominent personages bade them farewell.

To what extent the Canadians had won the hearts of Londoners was evident from the curious mixture of men, women and girls, who, hanging upon the arms of the soldiers, marched with them to the station, crying, cheering and waving their hats.

The Canadians will sail on the steamer La Champlain tomorrow. From Colonel Otter down they expressed intense appreciation of the warm reception accorded them in London.

WASHINGTON STREET TO BE OPENED

City Engineer Clement, to whom was referred the petition of W. G. Henshaw regarding the opening and extension of Washington street, today filed his report with Secretary Jackson of the Board of Public Works, wherein he determines that the metes and bounds, direction and distances as set forth in the petition are correct.

The Board of Works will meet later this afternoon, and from present indications a resolution will be adopted to the effect that in the judgment of the Board the improvement and opening of Washington street would be of public benefit.

A certified copy of the resolution will be forwarded to the City Council and the matter in all probability will be taken up by that body tonight and the next step taken.

A WOMAN'S SONG.

Do you call my face a rose,
With the time of roses near?
Find a truer name than this
For the brow and lips you kiss,
For you know that roses die
In the autumn of the year;
And beside you, love, must I
Front the frost and face the snows.

I was never rose or star,
One's too near and one's too far.
I'm no pebble and no pearl,
But a living, loving girl.
Mouth to kiss you, hand to keep
Touch with you while you're asleep,
Eyes to kindle when you're glad,
Hope to climb where you would creep,
Tongue to comfort when you're sad.

Call me wife and comrade, dear,
Call me neither star nor rose—
Then the day I need not dread
When the snow falls on my head,
Then my soul to yours shall be
Changeless, though my beauty goes,
And the eyes I love not see
Youth and grace forsaking me
As the bees forsake a rose
When the wind of autumn blows,
Soul on soul looks in and knows
All that's best of you and me.
—Nora Hopper in Westminster Gazette.

Now the poet touched the harp gently. "I can't touch my wife's folks any more to advantage," he sighed, and there was a finite pathos in his words.

Thus does stern necessity supply the impulse to worthy effort.—Detroit Journal.

CHRISTMAS

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If you are looking for Christmas presents call at the New Store, 1113 Broadway, where you will find a first-class line of Watches, Jewelry and Silver Novelties

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WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER
1113 BROADWAY
14 Years with R. W. Edwards.

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JOHN BOHAN, Proprietor.
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Horses scientifically and artistically shod. Specialty, Shoeing Race Horses.
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Advertise all the time.

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Classified advertisements and subscriptions placed at any of the following branch offices will be promptly forwarded to THE TRIBUNE.

ALAMEDA.

L. A. FIELD'S Stationery Store, 1503 Park street.

VOLBERG'S Drug Store, 1501 Webster street.

MRS. BIGGS' News Stand, Bay Station.

R. J. SMITH'S News Stand, 2220 Santa Clara avenue.

BERKELEY.

J. GIBSON'S Blue and Gold Restaurant, 2137 Center street. Sample copy free with each meal.

NEEDHAM BROS., New P. O. Building, Shattuck avenue.

MOHR'S News Stand, 2109 Shattuck avenue, Dwight way.

W. R. POND'S Drug Store, 2134 Shattuck avenue.

MRS. LONG'S Restaurant, 2207 Telegraph avenue.

WOLFF'S Drug Store, 777 University avenue, West Berkeley.

OAKLAND.

HAHN'S News Depot, corner Seventh and Pine streets, West Oakland.

MISS M. E. BURDICK'S Notion Store, P. O. Building, 2462 Telegraph avenue.

GARRETT & TAGGART'S Drug Store, junction of San Pablo avenue and Fourteenth street.

JACKSON'S PHARMACY, 1775 Seventh street, West Oakland.

A. L. LEBER'S Drug and Stationery Store, 922-924 Seventh street.

VOICE & KOERTNER'S Grocery, Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

WENTWORTH'S Drug Store, corner of Thirteenth avenue and Fourteenth street, East Oakland.

L. J. WESTLAKE'S Emeryville Pharmacy, San Pablo and Park avenues.

GENERAL NOTICES

DON'T WAIT till rainy weather; get your house painted NOW. Send for S. C. H. King, 756 Tenth st.; tel. blue 41; res 864 Thirty-fourth st. b

FREE—Genteel leather ticket and card holders. Mohns & Kaltenbach, 29 Market street, San Francisco. b

FOR "Up-to-date Signs" see ALTENDORF, 304 San Pablo ave., cor. Clay and Seventeenth sts. Tel. green 124. b

ALAMEDA Window Cleaning Company, room 15, 1001 Broadway, Oakland, agents for the Sanitary Dust Layer. Floors and walls scrubbed; janitor work, etc. Try the Sanitary Dust Layer. It is odorless, a disinfectant, saves labor and sprinkling and keeps floor free from microbes. Phone 3,546 black.

OAKLAND Window Cleaning Co., 512 Seventh st.; order box S. W. cor. Twelfth and Broadway; cleaning show cases, looking glasses, windows, paints, floors scrubbed, etc.; contracts by week or month; phone 512 main. G. Figone. b

PERSONALS

MRS. C. A. VIVIAN and MRS. E. CHATMAN'S Millinery and Dressmaking Parlors; ladies own materials made up in Latest Eastern styles by our milliner; making over a specialty. 562 Twenty-seventh st., near San Pablo. c

MADAME SODAN, world renowned card reader and palmist, room 17, Lester House, 520 8th st.; truth or no fee. c

VANDERHOOF'S Opaline Home treatment for female troubles. Ten days' treatment free. Call or address Mrs. A. J. Disher, manager branch office, 2118 Summit street. c

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

A NOB cook stove, 20 yards almost new linoleum, box lounge, 4 chairs lamp stand, mantel clock, feather beds. Apply 311 Third st. x

FINE NEW upright piano sacrificed for cash. 472 Tenth st. x

BARGAIN—$155; first class piano; must sell; at 1052 Adeline, Oakland x

FIRST CLASS sealskin jacket for sale, 26 bust, 22 length; price $125. Address box 53, Tribune. x

FOR SALE—Small wagon in good repair. 229 Harlan st., N. Oakland. x

NEW Adellake bicycle, made to order, cost $40, will be sold at once for $20. Apply 736 Myrtle st., basement, between 7:30 and 8:30 P. M. x

FOR SALE—Milk route; sixty quarts; six cows and horse; cheap. Address Dairy, box 78, Elmhurst. x

YOUNG, gentle, fresh cow for sale. 5383 Grove st. x

TO ACCOMMODATE OUR CUSTOMERS we have rented an extra store room to keep goods that are sold to be delivered about Christmas time. We want your order for a useful holiday present. H. Schellhaus, cor. 11th and Franklin sts.

FOR SALE—Fruit and cigar store, $300, snap; clears $100 a month, reason for selling; owner ill. Berry, 457 Ninth st., Oakland. x

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY

DR. A. K. CRAWFORD, late senior professor Hahnemann Medical College, Chicago, has removed to corner Twelfth and Filbert sts, telephone Pine 634.

ADAMS, DR. F. L., office Central Bank building, 14th and Broadway; hours, 10 to 11 A. M., 4 to 6 p. m.; tel. Grove 391; residence, 1230 Telegraph ave.; tel. red 256.

DR. D. D. CROWLEY, 212-213-214 Central Bank building; office hours, 2 to 3:30 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DR. H. E. MULLER, physician and surgeon; office, 1153 Broadway; rooms 20-21; 2 to 3:30 P. M., 7.15 to 8 P. M.; tel. 2341 black; residence, 1115 Filbert st.; tel. 2341 red.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Cleveland wheel, 1900 model. E. D., 218 Sixth st. j

FURNITURE, ETC., WANTED—We will give 25 per cent more cash for furniture, merchandise, etc., than any other dealer or auctioneer; try us. Oakland Auction Co., 465 Twelfth st., bet. Broadway and Washington. Tel. blue 871. j

FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more cash for your furniture or any kind of merchandise than you can get from any dealer or private party. J. A. Munro & Co., Auctioneers, 1501 Park st., Alameda; tel. Grand 176. j

WANTED—Old gold for manufacturing. O. Nolte, jeweler, 248 O'Farrell st., bet. Powell and Mason, San Francisco.

RESTAURANTS.

NEW POSTOFFICE RESTAURANT—Meals served day and night; oysters cooked in any style. 469 Eleventh st., bet. Wash. and Broadway. Tel. No. 541 Pine. Millshich & Crehum.

P. KISICH—Saddle Rock Restaurant; phone main 433. 462 12th st., Oakland.

CHIROPODIST

DR. H. SCHWARZ, Surgeon Chiropodist; cures corns, bunions, chilblains, eczema, ingrown and club-nails; no pain; immediate relief. 1063 Washington.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, suitable for two ladies or dressmaking parlors. Apply 1212 Railroad ave., near Bay st., Alameda. n

TWO nicely furnished sunny rooms; housekeeping if desired. 1465 Brush, corner Eighteenth. n

FOUR or five rooms for housekeeping; newly papered and painted; desirable location, 698 Thirty-fifth st. n

NICELY FURNISHED sunny rooms, central location. 761 Fourteenth st., between Clay and Jefferson. n

TO LET—In East Oakland, in private family, a large sunny room within easy reach of three car lines; references. Address S. A., Oakland Tribune. n

NICELY furnished room; all modern improvements; private family; will rent to gentleman. Apply at 375 Telegraph ave.

TWO LOVELY sunny furnished rooms for housekeeping; rent reasonable. Apply 860½ Broadway, over Osgood's drug store. n

FOR RENT—Three rooms, furnished or unfurnished; $6 or $8. 318 Sixth st. n

WOMAN wishes work by the day, washing, ironing and housecleaning. 1014 Webster st. n

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished rooms. 625 Fourteenth st. n

FOR RENT—Suite of fine furnished rooms for housekeeping; gas stoves. 1010½ Washington st.; no children. n

ALCOVE ROOM, kitchen and bath for rent furnished; gas stove; no children. 1112 Alice, bet. 12th and 13th. n

PLEASANT, SUNNY rooms, nicely furnished, gas, running water, fire; will rent reasonable. Apply 921 Filbert st.; telephone green 162. n

NICE sunny housekeeping rooms, $4 up; also single rooms, $1 up; everything new. Inquire at 419 Sixth st. n

GERMAN HOUSE, 864 Washington st.; sunny rooms 5 to 10, front housekeeping rooms with gas stove $10 to $14. n

SIX FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping. Three rooms, $8. 1159 Seventh st., near Adeline. n

A ROOM centrally located, $5 per month; gentleman preferred. 266 Eleventh st. n

FURNISHED—Lower floor, three or four clean, sunny connecting rooms; separate entrance; central. 615 Fifteenth street. n

TO LET—HOUSES UNFURNISHED

HOUSES FOR RENT.

$50—Dr. Coyle's fine 12 room Alice st residence; splendid order; furnace; large lot.

$18—New Telegraph and 35th st. modern 2 story bay window house, 7 rooms, bath, fine stable.

$7 50—Extra cheap; choice corner, sunny 5 room flat, bath, mantle, folding doors; East Oakland.

$25—Corner store; best location in Oakland for cash grocer; extra special inducement given.

Don't fail to secure our list.

LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE CO., Phone Main 328. 460-462 Eighth st.

NEW HOUSE for rent; only one block from corner of Vernon and Perry streets, Linda Vista; four bedrooms; fine parlor, dining room, kitchen, etc.; sightly location. Jas. S. Naismith, 452 Ninth street. l

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FOR RENT—A neatly furnished five room cottage in East Oakland, on electric car line; is ready for immediate occupancy; a nice, cosy home for a small family; rent, including water, $19; references. Apply at once at 1273 Twelfth ave., near Eighteenth st. o

FURNISHED five room cottage, modern; no children. Apply Brunswick Hotel. o

HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED

WANTED—A furnished house of about six rooms; no children. Address box 63, this office. l

YOUNG MARRIED COUPLE want two or three furnished housekeeping rooms; central location. Address, with particulars, box 67, this office. l

HOUSES FOR SALE.

JUST COMPLETED — One of the most conveniently arranged, modern, five-room cottages in North Oakland; near electric cars and local train to San Francisco. Lorin Station. No cash down required. Monthly payments, $22.70, including interest. Size of lot, 30 x132. Address W, box 1, this office. s

HALLS FOR RENT.

HALL TO LET—Grand Army Hall to let. Apply 1116 Broadway. k

ROOMS AND BOARDING

ROOM AND BOARD—626 Eighteenth st. q

JACKSON ST—Three blocks from narrow gauge station, pleasant sunny rooms with board; also table boarders. Address B. L., box 50, this office. q

LARGE, sunny room, with board; all conveniences; suitable for couple or two gentlemen. Address box 58, Tribune. q

WANTED—Married couple, or two gentleman boarders; beautiful private home, four adults, billiard table, piano; ten minutes' electric car to train; terms reasonable. Address letters Storrs, 472 Tenth st. q

LARGE sunny rooms with board. Call at 918 Tenth st. q

672 TENTH—(The Burlingame); sunny furnished rooms, first class table; also table board; day, week or month. q

WANTED—Children to board; mother's care. Apply 555 Nineteenth st. q

DENTISTS' DIRECTORY

DR. LU ELLA COOL—Dentist; 1004 Broadway, near 10th, Oakland, Cal.

IDEAL gold filling inserted for 75c, with written guarantee for 5 years. Ideal Dental Co., 6 Eddy st., S. F.; plates $3; crowns $1.

A DISCOUNT of 20 per cent for thirty days on all plates, crowns and bridgework; see our new unbreakable plate, the Rose Pearl, warranted for twenty years; crowns $3 50, fillings 50 cts; plates $5 full set; all work painless and warranted. Chicago Dental Parlors, 21 Sixth st., San Francisco.

GEO. F. AMES, D. D. S., E. W. WHITMAN, D. D. S., 1110½ Broadway, rooms 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5; hours 9 to 12 and 1 to 5; open evenings 7 to 8.

DR. GEO. E. LEEK, 22 O'Farrel, extracts or fills teeth painlessly by his metal or flexible plate $3; bridges $4; received eight first prizes; no students; lady attendant; guarantee twelve years.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

YOUNG GIRL wishes situation to take care of children. 1161 Franklin. h

WOMAN wishes work by the day, washing, ironing and housecleaning. 1014 Webster st. h

YOUNG LADY desires position as doctor's assistant. Address box 69, Tribune. h

DRESSMAKER would like position; wages $6 per week. Apply 2010 Filbert street. h

WANTED—A position as companion to an elderly lady or housekeeper; good home more desired than large wages. Address box 40, care Tribune office. h

FOR REFERENCED HELP send your order to Mrs. Cattell, 525 Eighth st., near Clay; oldest and most reliable employment office; all nationalities; male and female. Telephone 2576 black.

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WANTED—Experienced hands in dressmaking; also apprentice; at 607 Eighteenth st. e

WANTED—Competent nurse girl of neat appearance. Apply 1661 Webster st. e

WANTED—Young lady in a cloak and suit house who understands finishing to perfection and also experienced in selling. Address box 95, Tribune. e

WANTED—Colored girl for housework. Call after 1 P. M.; 825 Fallon st. e

YOUNG GIRL or woman for light housework; small family. 171 Eighth st. e

WANTED—Girl for general housework and plain cooking. Apply 667 Twenty-third st. e

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1008 Tenth st. e

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

RELIABLE MAN wants position to work about place for small wages; understands care of horses, etc. Address E. P., box 96, this office. g

A JAPANESE wants a position; any kind of work, either housework or schoolboy or day work. 1110½ Market st. J. Tani g

YOUNG MAN wishes position in private family in exchange for board while attending school. Address box 91, Tribune. g

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Young man as assistant driver of bakery wagon; wages $5 per week, must be well recommended. Fischer's Bakery, 866 Washington st. d

WANTED—Strong young man, willing to work in second hand store. Apply 416 Third st or 809 Broadway. d

WANTED—A good, reliable, competent representative of ability; to the right party they will find lucrative employment with a large mercantile company of this city. Address "O. O. O.," box 30, Tribune office. d

MEN WANTED to learn the barber trade; positions secured after eight weeks' practice; wages while learning; catalogue and map of city mailed free. Moler's Barber College, San Francisco. d

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AGENTS WANTED to canvass for the best holiday books; liberal terms. Call at once at the Occidental Publishing Co., 13th ave. and East 12th st. f

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ROOM 7, third floor, 120 Seventh st., Adeline station—Dressmaking, sewing, wrappers a specialty from 50c up.

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MONEY LOANED TO salaried people without other security. Encinal Investment Company, 963 Broadway, Rooms 32 and 33. n

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$40,000 TO LOAN on real estate in sums of $500 up; low interest. J. W. Hartzell, Enquire of Alden Co. for particulars, 1118 Broadway. z

$2,000 TO LOAN on furniture, pianos, etc., at lowest rates; will loan from $25 up. J. W. Hartzell. For particulars enquire of Alden Co., 1118 Broadway. z

FROM $50 to $1,000 to loan on furniture, pianos, diamonds, live stock, merchandise, real estate, etc. A. W. Berry, 457 Ninth st. z

LOANS on real estate and on furniture or pianos, with or without removal, in Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley; any amount; lowest rates; all business confidential. Call or write to Becker & Co., 26 Montgomery st., San Francisco. z

LOANS on furniture, pianos, in Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley; no removal, publicity or delay. 956 Broadway, rms 26-27.

LOST AND FOUND

FULL VALUE will be paid to finder of bracelet of gold and platinum, lost on Sunday, on Eighth, Ninth, Tenth ave., E. O., or on Tel. ave., Broadway or Washington st. Return 1757 Tenth ave., E. O.

THE PARTY who picked up the purse at the Lace House Thursday afternoon last is known, and unless the same is returned to 1797 Alice st. the party will be prosecuted; no questions will be asked if returned to owner. r

LOST—Saturday afternoon, between Macdonough Theater and Ninth st., gold pin set with pearls. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning to 1525 Franklin st. r

LOST—On ferry boat Berkeley, leather bag containing opera glasses, etc. Return to 1226 Fruitvale ave.; reward. r

FOUND—Passbook on Central Bank bearing name of E. G. Miller. Inquire of Leo Doolan, Tribune office. r

FOUND—In West Oakland, Sunday, water spaniel. Owner please call, prove property and pay charges. Henry Ward, 1238 Twelfth st. r

LOST—Ladies' gold watch; photo on front case. Reward if returned to C. J. Dietz, 1291 Broadway. r

LOST—A brown Dachshound, Kruger. Return to Robt. Mein, cor. Lake and Jackson sts.; reward. r

LOST—Black Newfoundland puppy; white spot on tail; tan collar. Return to 928 Linden, and receive reward. r

DYEING AND CLEANING.

LATEST PARISIAN Dyeing and Cleaning Works, 416 Fourteenth st., opp. Macdonough Theater; blankets and lace curtains a specialty. F. Cedley, Prop. Tel. main 175.

NOTARIES PUBLIC

GEORGE W. AUSTIN, Notary Public, 1002 Broadway near Tenth st.

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EVENING SCHOOL in shorthand and typewriting; Putnam and Gregg systems; individual instructions. Jeannette Conner, 1065 Washington street, room 44.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

$650—GROCERY STORE for sale at a bargain; by Alden Co., 1118 Broadway. w

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

A LADY would like pleasant room with board for herself and child. Address box 94, Tribune.

PALMISTRY.

MME. NEERGARD, palmist, 709 Post st.; hours 1 to 5 p. m.; evenings and Sunday by appointment. Phone 2931 Hyde.

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$12,000; cost $20,000—Handsome Lakeside district residence, 15 rooms, large grounds.

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$2,000—The coziest 5 room home in the select part of Piedmont residence district.

$1,750—Near Grove and 23d; 2 story house 5 rooms, bath; stable; 70 foot lot; bargain

$1,000—Neat 4 room corner cottage, nicely situated; East Oakland; $100 cash, $10 monthly.

$900—Sixth street between Broadway and Oak stations; neat 4 room cottage, cheap; must sell.

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$50 foot, elegant corner, 62x120; Lakeside district.

$1,250—Block of Smith's mansion; lot 100 x150.

$550—Corner; 50x150; near Clinton station

$950—Corner; 100x100; on 11th ave.; fine lot.

$550—Market st.; 25x100; north Market station.

$650—Snap; 50x140; near Telegraph and 32d.

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$1,250—1½ acre Fruitvale corner; all fruit.

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$500; cost $600—50x150; adjoins Fruitvale ave.

$1,500; cost $3,000—119x250; front Fruitvale ave.

Elegant lots sacrificed; owner must have money.

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NEW HOUSE on Oakland Heights; two story; fine large rooms; worth today $4,500; will be sold at a bargain; $2,300 mortgage now on the place; see this. JAS. S. NAISMITH, 452 Ninth st.

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	Bid.	Asked.
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Little Standard Oil	45	50
McFadyen Oil Co.	....	50
Diamond Star	....	25
U. S. Oil and Mining Co.	05	10
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Lone Star	....	08
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Peerless	....	5 80
Senator (Kern)	1 60	....
Aztec (Kern)	1 40	2 05
London	....	20
Kern River Oil Dev C.	....	50
Meridian	....	10
Superior	....	45
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There is no one article in the line of medicines that gives so large a return for the money as a good porous strengthening plaster, such as Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters.

Holiday Liquors.

The best place to get them is at E. Mercier's French Wine and Liquor store, 874 Broadway, near Eighth street. Family trade a specialty. Phone 732 brown.

SALOON FIGHT COMES UP AT BERKELEY.

Question of Prohibition to Be Decided This Evening.

Amendments Were Beaten at the Election on Saturday.

BERKELEY, Dec. 10.—The question of license or no license for this city will be settled this evening at the meeting of the Town Trustees. So far the doubtful members of the Board have made it impossible to forecast the result. Both the prohibition people and the saloon men are confident of victory.

A majority of the Trustees have declared in public meetings that the present anti-saloon ordinance is a failure in so far that it does not stop liquor selling. Through this majority the saloon men look for victory. On the other hand, the temperance forces declare that the Trustees will acknowledge that the ordinance has not had a fair trial and will let it stand until fairly tested.

The Anti-Saloon League is circulating petitions in the First, Second and Fourth wards, represented respectively by W. H. Marston, Joseph Le Conte and A. R. Frame. These wards are considered doubtful. President Marston and Trustee Frame have both declared the ordinance worthless, but as they represent "temperance" wards the temperance people believe that they will follow the wishes of the people they represent. Trustee Le Conte has not committed himself. In fact, he was absent at the last meeting, where all the Trustees expressed themselves freely on the liquor question. Trustee Turner will vote against repeal. Trustees Dowd, Hoff and Staats will vote for repeal. Both sides are bringing every pressure possible to bear upon the doubtful wards. The temperance people's petitions were widely circulated today and received a large number of signatures. They read as follows:

"We, the undersigned voters or taxpayers of your ward, most respectfully request and urge you to use your influence and cast your vote, as our representative, against the repeal of our present no license law.

"Inasmuch as it is less than a week since the law and our Berkeley court were declared constitutional, we submit that the friends of the law have not yet had a fair chance to secure its enforcement."

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED.

BERKELEY, Dec. 10.—Berkeley Parlor, No. 210, Native Sons of the Golden West, elected officers Saturday night as follows: Past president, Dr. J. A. D. Hutton; president, Frank McAllister; first vice president, J. A. Elston; second vice president, W. J. Wilson; third vice president, Fred C. Nugent; financial secretary, Ole C. Vinzent; marshal, George Parker; trustee for the long term, George Schmidt.

Peralta Camp, No. 123, Woodmen of the World, has chosen officers as follows: Consul commander, E. T. Harms; advisory lieutenant, W. P. Grant; banker, J. Schmidt Jr.; clerk, Paoli Salisbury; escort, F. E. Dalzell; watchman, P. Teague; sentry, Charles Cain; managers, M. L. Ryder, L. W. Foss, R. C. Staats; physician, Dr. J. E. Kelsey; past consul commander, E. Q. Turner.

Durant Lodge of Masons elected the following officers: Worshipful master, William H. Waste; senior warden, Robert Greig; junior warden, John T. Morrison; treasurer, Warren G. Sanborn; secretary, Clarence S. Merrill. The installation will take place on December 21st.

The officers elected to serve the new Wedgewood Camp, No. 604, Woodmen of the World, are: Consul commander, J. D. Layman; advisory lieutenant, M. W. Davis; banker, G. M. Lowe; clerk, George N. Farrin; escort, S. J. Pope; watchman, A. K. Johnson; sentry, A. E. Axx; manager for the eighteen month term, J. A. Pinkerton.

AMENDMENTS BEATEN.

BERKELEY, Dec. 10.—Both the proposed charter amendments were defeated Saturday at Berkeley. That which aimed to increase the tax levy from 75 cents to $1 was beaten by the following vote: For, 230; against, 731. The second proposition, to incorporate the general Sate law on street work in the town charter, resulted: For, 256; against, 610.

FISHBONE REMOVAL.

BERKELEY, Dec. 10.—W. T. Such, a wealthy land owner of Contra Costa county, underwent a difficult operation today and had a fishbone removed from his intestines. About three months ago Such swallowed a codfish bone. It has troubled him ever since, until an operation became necessary. Mr. Such was resting easily tonight. Dr. H. N. Rowell performed the operation.

REPUBLICAN CLUB.

BERKELEY, Dec. 10.—The Berkeley Republican Club will hold its annual election of officers next Tuesday evening in Golden Sheaf Hall, and an interesting contest is expected. Among those mentioned for president are A. W. Atherton, John M. Foy, Thomas Rickard and Philo Mills.

FRUITVALE

FRUITVALE, Dec. 10.—George R. Hitchborn of San Francisco is spending a few days with his uncle, William Gray.

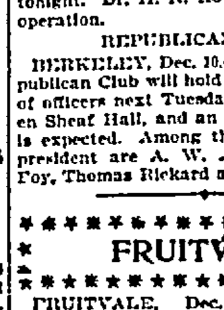
Roy Hatch is sick with a severe attack of poison oak.

Constable Jerry Quinlan is making frequent trips to the City Hall nowadays. Quinlan says that beggars are becoming quite numerous as the rainy season draws near.

PARIS MUSHROOM TRADE.

Paris has sixty wholesale firms which deal in mushrooms exclusively.

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED



STOMACH BITTERS

Neglect of stomach ailments leads to serious consequences. The Bitters should be taken at the first symptom of Constipation Indigestion Dyspepsia and Biliousness. Do not fail to try it at once if you would be cured.

NEWS NOTES FROM HAYWARDS

W. Zambresky Wants to Go to the Legislature.

HAYWARDS, Dec 10.—A number of petitions are in circulation recommending W. Zambresky of the Haywards Journal for appointment by Assemblyman Mattos as one of his clerks at the Legislature. Zambresky and his friends made a great fight for Mattos in their end of the district.

Next Friday afternoon and evening a grand Christmas bazar and entertainment will be held in the Haywards Opera House. The ladies of the Trinity Aid Society of the Episcopal Church are spending all their spare moments with thread and needle. They have already enough useful and ornamental articles made to fill a small-sized store.

A few of the prizes at the Oakland Poultry Show were carried off by Haywards' exhibitors as follows: White Leghorns—Pens, second, Miss Carrington; third, Mrs. H. B. Soule; roosters, first, Miss Carrington; hens, second, Miss Carrington; pullets, fifth, Dr. L. Browing. Silver Laced Wyandotes—Pens, first, J. N. McDonald; hens, second, J. N. McDonald; cockerels, second, J. N. McDonald.

An "Ensign Tea" will be given at the home of Mrs. E. M. Priddy from 2 till 5 on Thursday afternoon, December 13th.

The Board of Trade will meet in the Town Hall Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Important business will be transacted.

The remains of the late George C. Baxter of Haywards, who passed away Monday morning, December 3d, while visiting at the home of his sister-in-law in Riverside, arrived in Haywards on Friday. The funeral services took place in the Congregational Church, Saturday morning, the Rev. E. R. Dille of Oakland officiating. The interment took place in San Lorenzo Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: A. Harrington, J. H. Strobridge, W. J. Ramage, Dr. G. E. Alexander, J. J. McDonnell, Carl Mohr, L. E. Osgood, Asa Collins. The brothers and sisters of the Haywards Lodge accompanied the remains to their last resting place.

ELMHURST.

ELMHURST, Dec. 10.—Court Elmhurst No. 174, Foresters of America, met in Red Men's Hall last Friday night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Past Chief Ranger, B. Magnusson; Chief Ranger, H. Pittock; Sub-Chief Ranger, Wm. W. Hooper; Recording Secretary, F. R. Hopkins; Financial Secretary, C. Botsford; Treasurer, H. G. Clayton; Senior Woodman, Wm. Cotter; Junior Woodman, J. H. Priestley Jr.; Senior Beetle, Geo. Moore; Junior Beetle, A. Priestley; Physician, Dr. W. F. Lynch; Druggist, N. Gray; Captain of Guards, Robert Harris. Trustees were not elected.

Motorman Willard H. Young, who has been in the employ of the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway Company for the past six years, took the railway mail clerks' examination in San Francisco last April. He has received word that he has passed successfully and has received an appointment.

LORIN

LORIN, Dec. 10.—Last Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings a Christmas sale was held in Lorin Hall for the benefit of the Park Congregational Church repair fund. It proved a great success. The young ladies believe they have taken in enough to pay off their entire debt. Among the many attractions were the following: Miners' camp, in charge of the Ladies' Aid; Hawaiian village, Senior Christian Endeavor; Japanese tea garden, Young Ladies' Guild; popcorn booth, Junior Christian Endeavor; candy booth, Miss C. Crew.

A talk on "Scenes and Incidents in Foreign Lands," and a few hints on cremation, with 150 choice lantern illustrations, will be given by Charles A. Sumner at Ashby Avenue Hall for the benefit of the St. Matthew's Episcopal Church Mission of Lorin on Thursday evening, December 13th, at 8 o'clock.

Miss Mary Kayser of Portland was the guest of Mrs. J. Larsen Saturday and Sunday.

NILES

NILES, Dec. 9.—The elocutionary recital Saturday evening by the pupils of Miss Edith Jackson was largely attended and most thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The pupils show thorough training along the line of work that their teacher, Miss Jackson, is so proficient in.

It will not be out of order right here to compliment the Sans Souci Orchestra and its able leader, Fred Vivian, upon the success scored the same evening. Niles has every reason to feel proud of this little band of young men who give much of their time and some of their money in order that they may develop their musical talents. Mr. Vivian has been a patient teacher and has every reason to feel proud of the music that does him so much credit.

25 Prizes at Max Schlueter's, 9th and Washington.

The twenty-five making the nearest guess to the number of beans in the jar will be awarded prizes on Christmas day. Santa Claus will make his appearance next Saturday.

GOLDEN GATE

GOLDEN GATE, Dec. 10.—P. Flynn of Los Angeles was in town Saturday looking over his property.

The Golden Gate football first and second elevens played a practice game on the Grubb grounds Saturday morning.

Mrs. James Reeder is sick with a severe case of grip.

THE CZAR'S CONDITION.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LIVADIA, Dec. 10.—The Czar's physicians issued this bulletin this morning:

"The Czar's sleep and appetite are very good. His temperature and pulse are normal."

ALAMEDA WILL MAKE WAR ON TUBERCULOSIS.

Board of Health Asks for a State Sanitarium.

Sudden Death of John Meyer is Being Investigated.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 10.—At the meeting of the Board of Health recently considerable time was spent in the discussion of the danger from tuberculosis. It was the sentiment of the board that too much emphasis could not be laid upon the danger from this source, and that stringent legislation was needed in order to protect the community from the ravages of disease. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

"Whereas, Tuberculosis is a disease now recognized to be contagious and the treatment of which is known to be more successful in a properly located and equipped sanitarium,

"Whereas, The prevention of tuberculosis will depend upon the sanitary and hygienic management of all cases in special hospitals, as they are a source of contagion to others if placed in a general hospital,

Whereas, There are many cases unable to be cared for with any hope of success for want of means to give them the best method of treatment, and believing that many lives could be saved and the source of contagion greatly reduced, therefore be it

"Resolved, That this board ask the co-operation of the State Medical Society, the local medical boards and the physicians throughout the State to urge upon their representatives in the coming Legislature a bill providing for an appropriation according to the population of certain districts as may be established, of sufficient money to erect, equip and maintain sanitariums for the care of tubercular patients who are unable to secure the necessary surroundings and treatment at home."

The members of the board were assured that Senator Taylor and Assemblyman Knowland were in hearty accord with the movement and that they would do all in their power to secure the passage of such a bill.

FOUND DEAD.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 10.—John Meyer, who has been a resident of Alameda for twenty-five years died suddenly at an early hour yesterday morning at his home on Sherman street. An autopsy conducted by Dr. A. A. Stafford showed that the deceased had fatty degeneration of the heart. Death is believed by the police, who made an investigation of the case, to be due to natural causes, but an inquest will be held today.

Meyer attended the dance given Saturday night by Concordia Stamm of the German Order of Red Men given in Zoltz' Hall, West End. He was taken to his home by friends at 2.15 o'clock yesterday morning and died about 4 o'clock. His wife had become alarmed at his heavy breathing and sent for Dr. Stafford, but before his arrival Meyer was dead.

It was reported today that Meyer had met with foul play, and Detective Brown of the local department made an investigation. Meyer had attended the dance in his working clothes and when the body was brought to the Morgue his shirt was found to be torn and one side of his vest ripped its entire length. His right hand for the space of several inches about the knuckles was discolored from a fall or blow. It is reported that he indulged rather freely in liquor at the party and had a fall. There are no visible marks or injury on his head. Meyer was secretary of Concordia Stamm and he had paid over money collected for tickets last evening to John Anzel, treasurer of the Stamm.

Meyer was 62 years of age, a native of Germany and followed the painter's trade here. He was a veteran of the Civil War and a member of Joe Hooker Post, Grand Army of the Republic. His funeral will take place under the auspices of the German Order of Red Men and the Grand Army of the Republic.

BAKERS' TRUST

ALAMEDA, Dec. 10.—The bakers trust which was organized some weeks ago for the purpose of putting the price to consumers of bread and pie at a remunerative figure, is in the throes of disruption. All the bakers of the city joined the combine, each put up a forfeit of $60, and all signed the new price agreement before a notary public. One of the oldest bakers in the city, however, has decided not to adhere to the new scale, and this means that the others will have to cut prices in order to hold their trade. The baker who has gone back on the agreement declared that to stick to it meant ruin. His old customers refused to pay the new prices, but preferred to do their own cake and pie making, and this cut off the bulk trade. He declares that in sheer self-defense he was obliged to go back to the old rates. The other bakers are very much discouraged at the prospective breaking up of the combination, and some of them say they will have to go out of business.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CRELLIN—Mr. W. P. Baughman and wife, Table Grove, Ill; P. M. Raymond, Sacramento; James Reilley, Ireland; Deacon Caulfield, Red Lights, Cal.; C. A. Rowlee and wife, Anderson; Ally C. Nichols, Reno; Mary L. Nichols, Reno; T. A. Mashburn, Gold Hill, Nev.; P. S. Walker, San Francisco; Phil J. McGrash, Virginia City; W. P. Johnson, Los Gatos; Geo W. Baxley, Colfax; Sen Leurs, wife and son, Helena, Montana; H. B. Aludon, Benicia; E. L. Stone and wife, Walnut Creek; P. E. Bosworth, San Jose, Cal.; A. B. Walcott, San Francisco; H. Ritzau, San Francisco, Wm. Nertich Jr., San Francisco; B. Philig; S. Samuels; T. Winney, San Francisco; Dr. Otto Best, San Francisco.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1900

DEEDS.

Dec 5, 00—Jas T and Cornelia A Stratton to California Cotton Mills Co, E Okd, Parcel of land bnded N, S and E by lds conveyed by J T and Cornelia Stratton to Henry Root by deed of Nov 21, 60 and W by W bndry of lands patented to Jas T Stratton Oct 8, 89, U S I R S 50 cts; $10.

Oct 20, 00—Mary E Yost to Guy W Monroe, Bkly, N Center st 203 W Shattuck av W 50 x N 134.62 blk 1, Shattuck tract, $1.50; $10.

Dec 6, 00—Jones, Allen & Co (cpn) to Floyd L and Earl D Baird, Bklyn Tp, Lots 9, 10 and 11 blk 11, Allendale tract, 70 cts; $275.

Dec 6, 00—Wm R Hewitt (single) to Arthur P Snow, Bklyn Tp, Lots 27 and 28 blk G, Corrected Map, Nicol tract, 50 cts, $10.

Dec 1, 00—Ella A Aughinbaugh (single) to Jos Hassler, Ala, SW Railroad av and 9th st S 50 x W 33-4, $1; $10.

Dec 7, 00—Jos A and Annie E Leonard to Harriet A Emmons, Ala, W Union st 170 S Clinton av W 218-4 S 250 E 220 N 190 to beg blk 16 on Leonard's sub of blks 16, 17 and 18, Battlett 50 acre tract, $18; $10.

Dec 8, 00—Jane Stone (widow) to Fritz and Henry Stenzel, Eden Tp, Lots 5, 6 to 11 on Map of partition of Leonard Stone Estate, $15; $10.

Oct 8, 00—Grace C and A C Richards to Edward M Walsh, Okd, NE Monte Vista av 220.21 NW from point of intersection thereof with N line Oakland av, th NW 70 NE 127.37 SE 70 SW 127 to beg being the SE 70 ft Lot 15 blk A, Linda Vista Terrace Map 2, $1.50; $8,500.

Dec 6, 00—Wm H and Julia Harlles by W M Tompkins atty to Thos A Crellin, Okd, W Jackson st 1372 N 12th st N 100 x W 170, $12; $10.

Oct 6, 00—John J Ormsby to Annie M Hoyt, Bklyn Tp, Lots 49 and 50 blk A on Map of resub Fruit Vale tract, $—; $20.

Dec 6, 00—Josephine Walter to May B Lindley wf Morton, Bklyn Tp, S 16th or Monroe st 285 W Fruitvale av W 100 S 177 E 220 N 27 W 120 N 150 to beg ptn Church tract, $6; $10.

Nov 30, 00—S F Savings Union to Edwd B and Minnie L Borwell, Ala, E Cedar st 350 S Clinton av S 50 x E 130 being Lot 20 and S 10 ft Lot 18 blk B, Bellevue tract, $1, $835.

MORTGAGES.

Dec 1, 00—Francisco and Maria Gonsalves to Manuel S Duarte, Eden Tp, S one-half Lot 5 blk 16 Haywards Park Hd Union, 1 year, 8 per cent, $300.

Sept 15, 00—Mary P Webb to Hibernia S & L Socy, Okd, W Alice st 626 N 12th st N 78 x W 150 being Lot 26 on Map of Alice Park ppty, 1 year, 7 1-2 per cent, $4 200.

Dec 8, 00—J S Avila to Mrs A L Nickerson, Okd, Lots 152 and 153 blk J, Vicente Peralta tract at Temescal 1 year, 9 per cent, $200.

Dec 6, 00—May B and Morton Lindley to Josephine Walter, Bklyn Tp, Same as in deed Walter to Lindley, Dec 6, 02, 7 per cent, $5,000.

Dec 5, 00—Annie M Hear (widow) to Sarah Strobel (widow) Eden Tp, NE 2d and "C" sts NE 150 x NW 146, Town of Haywards, on demand, 9 per cent, $1,000.

Dec 8, 00—Hensbeth D Carleton (wdw) to Lucinda Babbitt, Z. T. Gilpin & Edwin W. Owen extrs Est S. M. Babbitt, Bkly, Beg at a pt on W line road Oakland to San Pablo 135 S fm SE cor lds of Hardwick th W 1912 ft N 1.5 W to Bay of S F, th S 12 E 167-3 S 566-6 NE to a pt 1912 W fm W line Oakland to San Pablo, th N 135 NE 1912 N 267 ft to beg, excepting blks 167 and 154 in plot 79 Ro V & D. Peralta, 1 mo, 8 per cent, $9 411.

DEEDS OF TRUST

Dec 7, 00—Guy W. Monroe to J. A. Marsh & H. P. Peart trs Federal Security Co, lot 32 blk 1, Shattuck tct, Bkly, $3,000.

RELEASES

Marginal—M. S. Duarte to F. & Maria Gonsalves, Eden Tp, 538 m 261, the S ½ lot 5 blk 16 Haywards Park Hd Union, Haywards, $200.

Nov. 26, 00—Bank of San Leandro to Jos Smith & Frank P. George, Eden Tp, 529 m 86, 2½ acres N Maud av 645 N from intersection of Maud av with NE line Haywards av th NE 311-1 NW 316-6 SW 311-1 SE 316-6 to beg, being in City of San Leandro, $1 200.

Nov. 30, 00—Lucinda Shead admix Est. D. L. Shead to Ella A. Aughinbaugh, Ala, 510 m 311, SW Railroad av and 9th st W 33-6 x S 50, $600.

Nov 11, 00—Alameda Savings Bank to W. P. Dillon, Ala, 547 m 299, the E 33-4 ft lot 16 in E ½ blk G, Lds Adjct to Encinal, $1,250.

Marginal—D. Kinselrzo Johanna O'Neill, Bklyn Tp, 518 m 91, lot 26 blk A, Corrected Map Linda Rosa tct, $250.

Marginal—Z. T. Gilpin & E. W. Owen extrs Est. S. M. Babbitt to H. D. Carleton, Bkly, 520 m 155 fs bt mtge, to Lucinda Babbitt et al, $6 061.

Marginal—E. W. Owen extr Est. S. M. Babbitt to Geo. H. & Nettie C. Carleton, Bkly, 495 m 225 6 acres W San Pablo av distant SE 332 ft from SE cor 5.44 acre tct of Hardwick by deed of Dec. 9, 81 th SE 135 ft SW 1912 ft NW 135 ft NE 1912 ft to beg, ptn plot 79, Ro V. & D. Peralta, $2,300.

Oct. 3, 00—Bank of Livermore to M. J. Gallagher, Mur'y Tp, 376 m 177, 160 acres, being the SE ¼ Sec 11 Tp 2 S R 1 E, $2,200.

Letter List.

Als Baby, care O D Als	Anderson, Harry
Alliston, Samuel E	Ayres, W F
Algeo, Mrs Mary	Ayer, H R
Baker, Mrs Lavina	Allen, Mrs James H
Ball, Mrs Esta	Becker, Mrs Saddie
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Barry, Mrs S J	Bowen, Miss A
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Bernhardt, Fred	Bruce, Mrs S M
Bledsoe, Mr and family	Buckley, C A
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Campbell, Mrs Eliza	Clark, Miss C
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Carleston, Mrs T K	Cooper, Charlie
Castro, Beatriz	Coyle, Miss A
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Dennis, Mrs	Durant, W W
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Edwards, Miss M	
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Fletcher, David L	Frick, E T
Flynn, M M	
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	Hymes, Mrs Sol
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Harwood, Chas H	
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Johnston, Mrs Lizzie	Johnson, Louis
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Mathewson, Baby, care Fred Mathson	Milne, A
Matson, Mrs C	Mowrey, P H
	Murphy, Miss
Newton, Ben L	Nicholson, Emma
Oakland Paint Co	O'Neil, Miss F
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Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of John Connell, deceased, and for the issuance to Julia Connell of letters of administration with the will annexed, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 31st day of December, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, December 7th, 1900.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

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Annual Meeting of Stockholders Union National Bank.

The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1901, at 3 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS PRATHER, President.
C. E. PALMER, Cashier.
Dated, Oakland Cal., Dec. 7th, 1900.

Notice of Sale of Pledged Personal Property.

Whereas, one Emily S. Smith heretofore, to-wit: on or about the 1st day of August, 1896, as security for the payment of her certain promissory note bearing date August 1st, 1896, made and given by her to Anson Barstow, deposited and pledged with said Anson Barstow a certain certificate of stock described as follows, to-wit: Certificate No. 6 of the capital stock of the Victoria Gold Mining Company for ten thousand (10,000) shares of the capital stock of said company of the par value of $1 per share, and standing on the books of said company in the name of Emily S. Smith, trustee, and

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the principal sum mentioned in said promissory note, and the same is now due and unpaid:

Now therefore public notice is hereby given that the said Anson Barstow will, on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1900, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon of that day, at the auction sales room of M. Marcuse, No. 918 Broadway street, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, sell at public auction, by and through M. Marcuse, a duly licensed auctioneer, the above described pledged personal property, and being 10,000 shares of the capital stock of the Victoria Gold Mining Company (a corporation), represented by certificate No. 6, standing on the books of said corporation in the name of Emily S. Smith, trustee.

Terms of sale: Cash in gold coin of the United States, payable at the fall of the hammer.

Dated, November 21st, 1900.

ANSON BARSTOW, Pledgee.
MAX MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held on Tuesday, January 8, 1901, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., at the banking room, No. 1000 Broadway street, Oakland, Cal.

P. E. BOWLES, President.
L. G. BURPEE, Cashier.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of William Clift, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrices and executor of the estate of William Clift, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrices and executor, at the office of Messrs. Chapman & Clift, No. 906 Broadway, Oakland, Alameda county, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with said estate of William Clift, deceased.

JEAN M. CLIFT,
ELIZABETH B. CLIFT,
FREDERICK C. CLIFT,
Executrices and executor of the estate of William Clift, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, November 19th, 1900.

M. C. CHAPMAN, Attorney for said Estate, 906 Broadway, Oakland.

LEGAL

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1900.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1900.

To all taxpayers in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said county of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and county taxes for the year 1900, on all property within the county of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the second Monday in October, 1900, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER IN THE YEAR 1900,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1900,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1901, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1900 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1901, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1901,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the second Monday in October, 1900, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours, as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1900,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 8th day of October, 1900.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior Court of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of Susan Hilton, an incompetent person.

No. 23,607. Dept 9.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, made on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1900, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Susan Hilton, an incompetent person, the undersigned, the guardian of the person and estate of said incompetent person, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, for cash in the gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1900, all of the right, title, interest and estate of said Susan Hilton in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the eastern line of Adeline street distant thereon two hundred and sixty-nine (269) feet southerly from the point of intersection of the southern line of West Third street with the eastern line of Adeline street (as said streets are delineated on the map hereinafter referred to); running thence southerly along the eastern line of Adeline street fifty (50) feet; thence easterly and parallel with the southern line of West Third street one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; thence northerly and parallel with the eastern line of Adeline street fifty (50) feet; thence westerly and parallel with the southern line of West Third street one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet to the point of beginning; being lots numbers fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) in block number four hundred and forty-four (444), Oakland, as the same are delineated on a certain map entitled "Map of Adeline and Market St. Homestead, Oakland, W. F. Boardman, City Eng'r, July 19th, 1869," filed July 29th, 1869, in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county.

All bids or offers for the purchase of said real estate must be in writing, and be left at the office of Laymance Real Estate Company, numbers 460 and 462 Eighth street, city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California before the 15th day of December, A. D. 1900.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, gold coin of the United States ten per cent (10 per cent) of the purchase money to be paid at the date of sale, balance upon confirmation of sale by said Superior Court.

Dated, San Francisco, November 16th, 1900.

DOROTHY A. LARZELERE.
Guardian of the person and estate of Susan Hilton, an incompetent person.
LYMAN I. MOWRY, Attorney for said Guardian, 604 Commercial street, San Francisco, Cal.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret T. Rogers, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Margaret T. Rogers, deceased, and for the issuance to P. W. Messinger of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday the 17th day of December, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 4th, 1900.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.
CHAPMAN & CLIFT, Attorneys for Petitioner, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California

In the matter of the estate of O. C. Kirk, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of O. C. Kirk, deceased, and for the issuance to Mary Loretta Kirk of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 17th day of December, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, December 5th, 1900.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.
JOHN J. McDONALD, Attorney for Petitioner, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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IT WILL BE A CASE OF MURDER

Antone Galindo Received Beating That Will Cause Death.

Antone Galindo, a laborer, is at the Receiving Hospital suffering from a fractured skull at the base of the brain with not one chance in a thousand of his recovery.

Tom Clear is held by the police on suspicion of being the man who is responsible for the injuries which may cause Galindo's death.

It is presumed that the wounded man's condition is due to a beating he received at the hands of Clear.

So far as known there were no eye witnesses to the assault.

Galindo was found about six o'clock in a vacant lot at Fourth and Clay streets.

He was unconscious and suffering from a frightful wound in the back of the head.

He was hurried to the hospital where Dr. Stratton pronounced his case hopeless.

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New Officers of Masonic Lodge Take Their Positions.

Three Hundred Masons Take Part in a Banquet.

Last Saturday night the new officers of Oakland Lodge No. 188, F. and A. M., were installed in Masonic Temple under circumstances which will make the event live long in the memory of those who were present on the occasion.

The lodgeroom was most profusely decorated with palms of a superior order the graceful boughs of which gave to the apartment the appearance of a beautiful bower.

The interest in the occasion was heightened by the presence of the Most Worthy Grand Master, James A. Foshay of Los Angeles, who personally conducted the installation ceremonies.

The Grand Master was assisted in the installation ceremonies by Orin Henderson, grand senior warden, H. J. Edwards, grand lecturer, and Edward H. Hart, district deputy for the district. Marshal George H. Smith represented the Grand Lodge in the installation ceremony.

The officers installed were as follows: Worthy master, John A. Britton; senior warden, Sam J. Taylor; junior warden, A. L. Black; senior deacon, W. F. W. Williams; junior deacon, R. B. Gaylord; treasurer, E. N. Walter; secretary, A. K. Clark; stewards, James Gallagher, S. D. Voorhies; tyler, W. B. Ingersoll; chaplain, A. D. Smith; marshal, G. W. Standeford.

After the installation there was a banquet in the large banquet hall at which over 200 members of the order sat down and regaled themselves at a large spread in honor of the occasion.

Over this banquet the newly-installed Master of Oakland Lodge, John A. Britton, presided.

Mr. Britton is an eloquent speaker. He has also rare familiarity with the requirements of a toastmaster and so utilized them as to cause the evening to pass in a delightful manner.

The address of welcome to the visiting Masons was delivered by Dr. George C. Pardee.

He welcomed the guests in a fervid manner and took occasion to say some complimentary things of the strangers, in which all the home members heartily concurred.

H. A. Powell responded in behalf of the past masters of the lodge. He had many interesting things to tell of the past masters, and the list showed that many of the best known citizens of this city have held that honorable position. Some of them have passed away, but of none could it otherwise be said than that they had been faithful and true to the principles of masonry.

D. Edward Collins said that the best side of man's nature could be developed only when man associated with those who lived up to the principles of true manhood, which were inculcated in lodges of the order to which his hearers belonged.

Speeches were also made by Messrs. Henderson, Edwards and others.

Aside from the speeches, there was an excellent program of music rendered in which there were some instrumental and vocal numbers of exceeding merit.

WITNESS ACCUSES ACCUSER IN COURT.

Will Laycock pleaded his own case in the Police Court this morning. He was charged with battery. Tom Gorman, a well-known character and cripple, was his accuser. Laycock called three witnesses, who knew nothing about the alleged offense, but in answer to questions put by the accused, they testified that German's reputation for truth, honesty and integrity is bad. One witness, Henry Rogers, when cross-examined by Gorman, was asked how he could prove that his (Gorman's) reputation was bad. Rogers replied: "Because I know that you are a thief." "And I know," retorted Gorman, "that you stole five dollars from me once!"

"Defendant is discharged," interrupted Judge Smith, and the incident closed.

DEATH CLAIMS OLD RESIDENT.

The funeral of Aaron Raphael, who died at his home, 271 Ninth street, last Saturday night, took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence under the auspices of the Workmen and B'nai B'rith Society, of which deceased was a member. The interment was at Mountain View Cemetery.

Aaron Raphael had resided in Oakland more than twenty years. He had been suffering from asthma for some time, and to this malady, together with complications, his death is attributed.

Deceased was a native of Germany, aged 69 years. He leaves a widow, two daughters, Mrs. P. Falk and Mrs J. Isaacs, and one son, Ralph Raphael, who is a bookkeeper in the San Francisco office of the Sunset Telegraph and Telephone Company.

BROKE HIS FINGER IN A PULLING MATCH.

John Zelse of 910 Twenty-second street broke the second finger of his right hand yesterday while engaged in a finger pulling match with a friend. He went to the Receiving Hospital, where Steward Borchert set the broken bones.

FIESTA IN APRIL IN OAKLAND.

To Celebrate the Second Visit of President M'Kinley To This City.

BY F. R. PORTER.

President William McKinley has definitely decided to revisit California next April and be present at the launching in San Francisco of the battleship Ohio. That he will favor Oakland then with another visit may be regarded as a foregone conclusion. Let us avail ourselves of the chance and hold on that occasion the initial grand fiesta in the history of this city!

It was back in the 70's, I am told, that Congressman McKinley spent some time in Oakland. He was the guest of his brother, who had a fuel yard on the southeast corner of Tenth and Washington streets. Our town was at that time possibly two-thirds its present size and contained a population of about one-half what it is now, say, 35,000 inhabitants. Today Oakland, according to the recent Federal census, numbers nearly 70,000 souls, while its largest adjoining suburbs have, respectively: Alameda, 16,464; and Berkeley, 13,214.

When President McKinley was here last he had been a private in the army during the Civil War and rose to be a Major; he was a foremost figure in Congress and the acknowledged leader in tariff legislation. Since his departure from Oakland he has become Governor of Ohio and occupant of this republic's highest seat.

He will be the second chief magistrate of this nation to enter our city. In the 90's President Benjamin Harrison was here briefly.

It may be considered out of the question to induce President McKinley to devote a day to Oakland. But it should not be forgotten that he has a personal interest in this town. In 1894, when Governor of Ohio, he wrote to a friend here:

"I am in receipt of your very courteous invitation to visit Oakland. I am afraid that you have not thought of the great distance between Ohio and California. I am sure that I would very much enjoy a visit to your city, but official duties are such that I cannot at present see my way clear to do so."

In 1896 he wrote again to that friend:

"I was on the coast many years ago and I have a particularly pleasant recollection of San Francisco and Oakland."

In 1900, last month, he had his secretary write to that same correspondent:

"A number of very cordial invitations have recently been received from different parts of your State, which, if the conditions of public business would permit, the President would be very glad to accept."

Well, President McKinley will be in California not long after he is for the second time inaugurated as our Chief Ruler! And the peerless city of Oakland can secure his presence in our midst for a day!

Therefore, let steps be taken to get the President's assent, and then let's arrange a fiesta and reception somewhat on these lines:

On the chosen day have Clay street given over to the event. Line that thoroughfare from Seventh street to San Pablo avenue with festoons of vines, evergreens and flowers. Electrically illuminate it at night, and have exercises, band music, and, for a finish, fireworks.

Having President McKinley as our guest, let's welcome him with a salute of twenty-one guns and honor him with a like demonstration when he bids the town farewell. Give him a barouche ride through Clay street when the children of our schools shall be assembled there to greet him. Such an acclaim can be appointed for the morning, and, later, let him view our business and finest residence streets, not omitting Lake Merritt from that itinerary.

In the afternoon, succeeding his repast at the home of our Mayor, take him for a tug ride on Oakland harbor.

Let our Mayor, our City Council, the Board of Trade and the Merchants' Exchange co-operate to make this program a success worthy of opulent, ambitious, thriving Oakland. Let "President's Day" be a holiday, and our streets on that account swarm with townspeople and strangers! Anyway, let's prepare for a fiesta in Oakland in April!

CONFUCIANISM COMPARED WITH CHRISTIANITY.

An Interesting Address By the Chinese Minister.

Says the World is Coming to Accept the Teachings of Confucius.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese Minister to the United States, speaking before the Society of Ethical Culture at Carnegie Hall on "The Teachings of Confucius," said in part:

"In the strictest sense of the word, Confucianism is not a religion. It is not a system of doctrine and worship. It is easier to say what Confucianism is not, than what it is.

"The immortality of the soul is a beautiful doctrine, I admit. I wish it were true, and I hope it is true, but all the reasoning of Plato cannot make it more than a strong probability, and all the light of modern science has not brought us one step further. Now, Confucius would be called an agnostic if he were alive today. There were four things that he would not talk about—extraordinary things, feats of strength, disorder and spiritual being.

"'How are we to serve spiritual beings?' he was asked. 'When you do not know how to serve men, how can you serve spirits?' he replied.

"Horace Greeley said those who discharge promptly and faithfully their duties to those who linger in the flesh have but little time to peer into the affairs of those who have passed away. Confucius was intensely practical and human. He did not spend time speculating as to what will happen after death."

The Minister then compared the practical teachings of Confucius with those of Christ. He read a passage from the New Testament, declaring that evil should not be resisted with evil, and if a man smite you upon one cheek, you should turn the other cheek. Of this doctrine Mr. Wu said:

"This, it seems to me is meekness with a vengeance. I am inclined to think no sensible man has ever followed this injunction faithfully. A man who will smite you on the cheek is a dangerous man and needs no second invitation. A man who will take your coat is a thief and would doubtless take your cloak, too, if he could lay his hands on it."

"'Love your enemies.' Such a standard of excellence is too high for humanity. There is no likelihood that many people will follow it. At this very moment Christian missionaries are calling for bloodshed and vengeance in China and Christian armies are devastating the land, sparing neither age or sex. There is, indeed, a vast gulf between doctrine and performance. Could you love one who had killed your father and brother or destroyed your home? Confucianism does not require such a thing. It enjoins that kindness be requited with kindness and an injury with justice. It does not sanction retaliation in a vindictive spirit, such as, I regret to say, is shown by some persons professing to be governed by the tenets of Christianity.

"The most striking instance in which the teachings of Confucius and of Christ meet is in the Golden Rule. Confucius puts it negatively, to be sure—'Do not do to others what you would not wish them to do to you'—any one who will follow that rule either way it is phrased, will be a thoroughly good man.

"A good Christian is a good Confucian and a good Confucian is a good Christian. I do not believe that heaven is an exclusive place. The advocates of various religions are all trying to make a private park of it for their own adherents. Whatever heaven may be I believe it is a place for all good men, irrespective of dogma. Confucius did not run away from the world, but did his duty in it. He teaches men to be good for the sake of good and not for any promise of reward or through any threat of punishment. The world is gradually coming to Confucius. One of the signs is the growth of agnosticism. I will not say whether people are growing more callous or more civilized, but they are no more terrified when the terrors of the next world are proclaimed from the pulpit."

AT BED TIME

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made from herbs, and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 25c and 50 cts. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y.

MINISTERS WILL HOLD MEETING IN OAKLAND.

The Men's League of the First Congregational Church will hold a meeting in the church parlors tomorrow evening. Mayor Snow will deliver an address on the subject: "Busy Man In Politics."

On Tuesday the fall meeting of the Bay Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers will be held in the Market street Congregational Church in this city. Among those who will address the meeting are Mrs. F. B. Perkins, Rev. R. C. Brooks, Rev. F. N. Greely, Rev. J. W. Phillips, and Rev. W. W. Scudder. The assembly will be presided over by Rev. E. F. Sargent.

SERVICES HELD AT THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL

Interesting Program at the Church Yesterday.

Former Pastors Take Part in the Sunday Service.

The fortieth anniversary of the organization of the First Congregational Church of this city was held in the structure yesterday, the exercises continuing throughout the day and evening. There was a large attendance of members and friends of the organization.

In the morning the first pastor of the church, Rev. George Mooar, who is still a resident of this city, preached a sermon.

He was introduced by Rev. C. R. Brown, who is at present filling the pulpit.

Special Sunday School services, in which all the children took part, followed the services in the church.

In the evening Rev. J. K. McLean of the Pacific Theological Seminary delivered a discourse on "To Behold the Beauty of the Lord and to Inquire in His Holy Temple."

A special musical program marked each of the services.

The First Congregational Church was organized on the 4th of December, 1860, by Rev. E. S. Lacey, at a meeting held in a Baptist church, now Salvation Army headquarters, on Tenth between Washington and Clay streets. Rev. George Mooar assumed charge of the church on May 1, 1861. He was succeeded by Rev. J. K. McLean in 1872. In 1879 the first services were held in the present church.

After twenty-three years' pastoral work Rev. Dr. J. K. McLean retired to become president of the Pacific Theological Seminary and was succeeded by Rev. C. R. Brown, the present pastor.

There will be a reception this evening at the church in honor of the celebration. The anniversary communion service will be held next Wednesday night.

HE PUT OUT THE LIGHT AND DIED.

Charles Edouard Muller, a printer, was found dead in his room at the Huff House, on Ninth street, yesterday afternoon.

It appears that at 2 o'clock yesterday morning Landlady Berjot noticed the gas still burning in Muller's room, and rapping loudly at his door she commanded him to put out the light. She heard him arise and comply.

At about noon guests complained of a strong odor of gas in the house, but the leak could not be found. Later when the Japanese went the rounds to make the beds he found that Muller's room was bolted on the inside.

Mrs. Berjot was notified and climbing up on a step ladder she broke the transom window and called to Muller, but he was dead. Officer Curtiss was called to break open the door.

Deceased was a native of France, aged about 35 years, and so far as known was unmarried. An inquest will be held.

HE DID NOT KNOW THE GUN WAS LOADED.

Mrs. S. S. Short, who conducts a small store at Dimond, narrowly escaped being shot yesterday afternoon by Henry Watkins of West Oakland.

Watkins and a companion had been to the foothills hunting and on their return as they stood in front of Mrs. Short's store some passerby called Watkins' attention to the fact that his rifle was cocked. Watkins, however, remarked that the "gun wasn't loaded," and raising it he pointed directly at the store window and pulled the trigger. A bullet crashed through the pane and whizzed close by Mrs. Short's head. The latter's husband compelled the young hunter to pay for the broken window.

LIVE OAK NO. 17 ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.

Live Oak Lodge No. 17, Knights of Pythias, has elected the following officers for the term beginning January 1, 1901: Chancellor Commander, Ernest Mueller; vice-chancellor, Max Muehlenbruch; prelate, Martin Rogers; master of work, Dow C. Golden; keeper of records and seal, Henry A. Holland, thirty-second term; master of finance, Isidor L. Cavasso; master of exchequer, Albion S. Melly; master at arms, Frank A. Leroy; inner guard, Albert Condy; outer guard, Charles P. Harrington; trustee, three years, James R. Sloan; physician, Dr. Chas. L. Weltman.

This lodge has admitted fourteen new member since July and has four more which will be acted upon at the meeting of December 12th. It is one of the strongest lodges in the grand domain.

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AMENDMENTS WERE BEATEN AT THE POLLS

Large Vote Cast Against Every Measure Suggested.

Every Precinct in the City Went Against Changes.

Oakland's city charter will not be amended; not at present at least.

The eight proposed amendments submitted at Saturday's special election were snowed under by votes of disapproval.

The vote was light, as THE TRIBUNE predicted would be the case. There was a total of 2,673 votes cast, and under the law requiring a three-fifths vote 1,602 would have been necessary to carry the amendments. Instead, the three-fifths and over was against the amendment.

The amendment that proposed to give the city power to raise money to dredge Oakland Harbor from the city's slips to the Government line, received the highest number of votes, and that was but 694; while the votes against it reached a total of 1894.

A general average struck shows that 579 were in favor of the amendments, as against an opposition of 1870.

One objection to the amendments was based in a measure to the fact that the people did not have a voice in the matter of saying what changes in the charter should be voted upon. Sometime ago a large petition, signed by many prominent people of Oakland, was presented to the Council asking that a new charter be submitted to a vote of the people. No attention was paid to this petition.

The total vote on each amendment was as follows:

Amendment.	For.	Against
No. 1	530	2071
No. 2	518	2031
No. 3	493	2072
No. 4	486	2057
No. 5	694	1891
No. 6	675	1879
No. 7	636	1951
No. 8	606	1977

In nearly every precinct a few ballots were thrown out. In some cases unintelligent or naturally indifferent voters had stamped a cross in each square on the ballot, both for and against, and in other instances voters marked their X's with a lead pencil.

Many voters who vigorously opposed the amendments, were quite outspoken in favor of an entirely new city charter as being about the only remedy for any existing inadequacies in the present law.

A BEAUTIFUL STORE.

C. J. Heeseman's New Quarters on Washington Street a Magnificent Place of Business.

Last Saturday the grandest and the prettiest and most commodious place of business in Oakland was thrown open to the public. We speak of C. J. Heeseman's magnificent new store on Washington street between Twelfth and Thirteenth. Mr. Heeseman, with his usual enterprise, spared no expense to make his new quarters most presentable upon its initial day of business. Every little detail was attended to, and much credit is due to the efforts of his corps of clerks, who lent so much assistance to array the splendid line of goods displayed so conspicuously. Mr. Heeseman has added a shoe department to his business and his stock shows that he intends to carry only popular and reliable makes of footwear, especially built for this firm. We cannot commence to describe the beauty of the big store. Everything carried in stock is artistically and neatly arranged, and to Mr. Ed Webster much credit can be given, for he worked like a beaver in his own diligent way, which usually crowns his efforts with success. This grand store will carry a larger stock than ever. No firm in the same line reaches out in this city for patronage with a more varied or larger assortment of fine ready made clothing, furnishing goods, hats and shoes than Charles J. Heeseman. It is pleasant to note the advancement of this young man and the high regard in which he is held by the Oakland populace. This favorite firm is always known to be reliable—that accounts to a considerable extent for the immense success this house has met with since they began business in Oakland nearly twenty-five years ago. The public are cordially invited to call and inspect this beautiful new store, and their conclusion will be that it is Oakland's grandest and prettiest business house, and will compare favorably with many Eastern establishments of note. The same motto prevails as formerly at the old store, Eleventh and Broadway, and that is, "Reliability and One Price." That means the best for the least money.

WOMAN GIVES A FINE LECTURE ON EVOLUTION.

Miss Jessica Blanche Peixotto, Ph. D., University of California, delivered the second of a series of lectures Sunday night on "Evolution," at the Unitarian Church. Her subject was "Individualism and Social Progress."

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ANOTHER CUP DEFENDER IS TO BE BUILT

Sir Thomas Lipton Says Let Them All Come.

The Only Man He Is Afraid of Is "That Magician Herreshoff."

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from London says:

Sir Thomas Lipton, when informed of Thomas Lawson's announcement that he is determined to build a cup defender, said:

"Let them all come. I fear but one man—that magician Herreshoff. If he was out of the way, I can assure you the Stars and Stripes would not be waving so high, and that cup would long since have changed hands. Boston naturally wants to get a chance in the cup races. I certainly wouldn't object if she did try to defend the cup. The New York Yacht Club Committee can pick any boat they please. I have to definitely select my boat months in advance.

"They don't have to name the defender until a week before sailing, so it's purely an American matter for the New York Club to decide. Personally I fail to see why the club need build a new boat. Certainly they never heard me complain that Columbia ran too slow.

"But, seriously, Herreshoff is the one man that I am afraid of. He is, I repeat, a magician in the designing and building of yachts. I would be interested to know something of the plans of Mr. Lawson. While I believe that Herreshoff can turn out the best boats in America, there is a possibility that some freak might be constructed which will beat Columbia.

"But Lawson's entering the game is a healthy sign. It shows the great, growing interest in yachting.

"Work will proceed rapidly now on Shamrock II. Watson is giving all his time to pushing the construction.

"Whoever the other mysterious yacht building in Glasgow may belong to, you may positively say that she is not mine, nor is she a possible cup challenger, for she will not be as fast as Shamrock II.

"Nor is she the Prince of Wales' boat. My personal opinion is that she is being built for the Kaiser."

Dr. Turnbull's Lecture.

Dr. Coulson Turnbull, traveler, lecturer, will give a series of lectures on occult science and philosophy, at the Albany Hotel, Tuesday, 8 P. M., December 11th. Preliminary lecture will be introductory to a class course to follow. All students of mystical truth are cordially invited.

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